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POOR LITTLE WILLIE VANDERBILT!

"Where's your Papa!" Asked Little Cousin Kathleen of Alfred Vanderbilt's Deserted Son. "Don't Uncle Alfred ever bring you things and Play with you like my Papa does every single day?"

"WILLIE" VANDERBILT, ALFRED'S UNHAPPY LITTLE BOY.

"KATHLEEN" "REGGIE" VANDERBILT'S DAUGHTER. PHOTO BY HAAS, N.Y.

WHEN Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt hurriedly left America after being served with papers in his wife's suit for divorce, he did not say good-by to his little son—his only child, and namesake of his famous grandfather, William H.

The little boy wept bitterly when he found that his father had gone away without bidding him good-by. He is six years old, and very delicate and sensitive, and he had already noticed that he did not receive as much attention from his father as it is customary for little boys to receive, even in the fashionable set.

"Poor little Willie!" is a common remark among all good-hearted persons who are familiar with the circumstances of this divorce case.

During the past two years little Willie has only seen his father twice. A friend of the family relates that the boy kept asking when he was going to see his father again, and at last when the separation between his parents became final, he was told that he would not see him for a very long time.

"Why?" he asked.

"Because papa is going abroad."

"Can't I go abroad with papa?"

"No; little boys can't go abroad with their papas."

"I know boys that go abroad with their papas. Can't I go and see him on the steamship? Lots of boys do that."

The answers he received, as so often happens in the case of children's personal questions, were unsatisfactory. He went away hurt and aggrieved, and the first sympathetic person he found to whom he could pour out his confidences and his sorrows was his baby cousin, Kathleen Vanderbilt, who is five years old. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt.

"Where's your papa?" asked this little Kathleen Vanderbilt of Alfred Vanderbilt's deserted son. "Don't Uncle Alfred ever bring you things and play with you like my papa does every single day?"

He put his head on her shoulder and sobbed out his grief to her about his father going away without saying good-by to him. She tried to comfort him, and said with her pretty lisp:

"Don't cry, Willie! My papa's a good one. He will look after oo, too."

The little girl was very successful in consoling her

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"The Scarlet Letter" (Hawthorne's Masterpiece) in Real Life.

"Was ever a clergyman, beloved and trusted by his flock, so beset? Never—yes, in fiction, there was the Rev. Arthur Dimmesdale, a good man, but for one fatal step, a most godly man. A hero, who, at the end, mounted the scaffold, and, in the presence of all his flock, stood beside the woman, who, for him, had worn in silence the Scarlet Letter of shame; who now confessed that the shame was his as much as hers—and showed upon the flesh over his heart the same symbol which he had placed there and worn secretly all these years."

How Pastor Thomson Confessed by Suicide a Life-Secret Like That Which Pastor Dimmesdale, of Hawthorne's Great Novel, Confessed Upon the Scaffold.

"Was it in him, the Rev. George W. Tomson, to do as the 'Scarlet Letter' hero, the Rev. Arthur Dimmesdale, had done—publicly place himself at the side of the woman in confession that her accusation was true? That was the act of a hero. It had brought the Rev. Arthur Dimmesdale to his last breath. It was death, that confession!

"There was a revolver in the pastor's hand. Now he realized that he had strength for but one kind of confession. He pointed the muzzle at his temple and fired. The explosion extinguished the lamp. The pastor's lifeless body fell to the floor beside his bed."

"The pastor has broken his promise to marry me. He owes me all the love and duty belonging to a wife."

MISS SUE H. C. KERR, WHOSE PHOTOGRAPH WAS FOUND IN THE DEAD PASTOR'S ROOM.

THE REV. GEORGE W. THOMSON.

If "suicide is confession," it is hardly possible to think of the late Rev. George W. Tomson, of Woodbury, N. J., without recalling the Rev. Arthur Dimmesdale, hero of the greatest of classic romances in the English language—Hawthorne's "Scarlet Letter."

The discrepancies in detail do not affect the moral parallel. They are due to the wide differences in period, manners and laws. If suicide is confession, the Rev. George Tomson is the Rev. Arthur Dimmesdale of more than two centuries later.

Two centuries later there is no such legal penalty as the Scarlet Letter—except in metaphor. But metaphorically, that symbol threatened the breast, not merely of the woman who had sinned, but of the clergyman who was her partner in sin.

This woman was no Helen Prynne—no willing martyr to save to the community its pastor and godly example. She accused him to his flock. And, he, instead of mounting the scaffold with her and making a public confession, after the manner of Hawthorne's hero, went home to his pastor's study and killed himself.

There are certain truths that women tell only when they are desperate. Until that moment of desperation comes it is characteristic of their sex to be silent. What rendered desperate a woman in this case was the announcement in a local newspaper that the Rev. George W. Tomson was shortly to marry Mrs. Fanny Kenworthy, a very wealthy widow, who was a prominent member of his congregation.

The announcement was not a surprise to most of the members of Pastor Tomson's flock. They had anticipated it for some time. Yet it was the pronunciation of a tremendous sensation at the congregational meeting in the church before twenty-four hours had elapsed.

The Rev. George W. Tomson was present. Early in the progress of the meeting Miss Helen Moore, a handsome young woman and a Sunday school teacher in the church, arose and confronted him. The pastor's eyes did not meet her eyes. He turned his head away.

The congregation gazed in wonderment not unmixed with edarm, for the young woman's manner was disquieting. What followed rendered them motionless and speechless for a breathless half minute.

Miss Moore spoke:

"I wish to tender my resignation as a member of this church," she said. Then, in the tones while her hand pressed her side, she continued:

"Pastor has broken his promise to marry me. But he will never marry Mrs. Kenworthy; he is a hypocrite."

As though this were not enough to stupefy her hearers, the young woman added this paralyzing charge against her pastor, who listened with face averted—

"He owes me all the love and duty belonging to a wife, and I shall not permit him to desert me now."

"All the love"—yes, and "duty," too—"and longing to a wife!"

Had ever a betrayed and desperate girl stated her grievance in plainer, more direct language?

With a gasp the congregation returned to its senses. There was indescribable confusion. Then the matrons of the congregation began to gather around Miss Moore, who had dropped back into her seat and was weeping bitterly. Strangely enough, the sympathy of these women seemed to be with their pastor. They rebuked Miss Moore for her scandalous conduct. Between sobs she assured them:

"All that I have said is no more than the truth. It is I who should have the sympathy of every woman member of this church."

But no sympathy was extended to her. The women who surrounded her made a formal demand upon her to leave Woodbury at once. She was not permitted to leave the church until she had agreed to go away.

No explanation was at that time demanded of Pastor Tomson. But this evidence of sympathy for himself appeared not to give him strength. As he emerged from the church with others he was dazedly pale and staggered. At the top of the stone steps leading to the pavements he stumbled and pitched headlong to the sidewalk. A friend rushing to his assistance asked him if he was badly hurt.

"No," said the pastor, and added: "Unfortunately not."

What an odd remark from a pastor who has just received extraordinary proof of the loyalty of his flock! Those who heard it do not realise how hard pressed is this Arthur Dimmesdale of two centuries later. They cannot yet understand his feeling that it would be a happy "accident" that would place him beyond the necessity of confession.

But he has had that feeling for weeks, as he watched the scandal cloud growing larger, blacker, more threatening. It has so benumbed his faculties that he has been forced to read his sermons from manuscript, even kneeling for short prayers in the presence of his trusting congregation he has been compelled to read the familiar phrases of supplication from a scribbled page concealed in his hand.

Just now the pastor alone knows how hard pressed he is, how much worse is his situation than has been publicly declared for Miss Moore. He staggers and seems to grope his way as he walks to the little Woodbury hotel, where he has lived since the death of his wife four years before—where Miss Moore has long occupied a room across the hall from his own, and where Miss Sue Kerr—nemesis as yet unknown save to himself and to herself—also lived until she transferred her school teaching activities to Englewood, N. J.

What other phantoms feminine troubled the pastor's mental vision as he groped his way to his room, he alone knew—then. But his gait was so unsteady, his manner so abstracted that at least one of the hotel employes followed at a distance till he entered his own door, with the design of going to his aid if he should actually fall.

Among the familiar objects of his study the pastor tries to shake off the terrors that oppress him. He seats himself resolutely at his desk and takes up a pen with the idea of working on his Easter sermon. The first written paragraph confronts him, at its head the text:

"I am the Resurrection and the Life."

Does that word, "Resurrection" recall his desire, his need, for death? The pen falls from his hand. He rises and walks about the room. He walks till it grows dusk. He lights his reading lamp. That reminds him again that it is evening. What of this evening? Ah, he is expected by his fiancee, Mrs. Kenworthy, at her house.

Merciful heavens! How can he go on with that, after the public accusation of Miss Moore? And Miss Kerr—and the widow who dragged herself far away, out of his life, broken-hearted—and the others?

Hitherto the scandal that had been slowly crushing the spirits of Pastor Tomson had been stifled, smothered within the walls of his loyal church. Now, suddenly, it was a public calamity throughout southern New Jersey—from Englewood, where lived Miss Sue Kerr, through Woodbury, the home of Mrs. Kenworthy, to Philadelphia, where Miss Moore worked during the day at clerical duties.

Miss Moore left the office in Philadelphia, where she was employed, and went to relatives at Lansdowne, a suburb, where, the next day, she was said to be lying so ill that her life was despaired of.

Mrs. Kenworthy soon recovered sufficiently from the shock she had suffered to denounce all scandalous reports concerning the dead pastor as slanders pure and simple. The influence of other church members made it difficult for the authorities to investigate the stories told in every street of Woodbury—stories that the news of the tragedy had thrown several unnamed unmarried women into hysterics.

The report spread that Miss Kerr, to whom the pastor had paid much attention while she lived in Woodbury, and whom he had visited in Englewood, was engaged to marry him, and, upon the announcement of his forthcoming marriage to Mrs. Kenworthy, had instructed lawyers to sue the Rev. George W. Tomson for breach of promise.

Details of the case of Miss Moore flew about the town. She had nursed Mrs. Tomson during her last illness, four years ago. Since then she had lived across the hotel hall from the rooms of the pastor, and had constantly assisted him in his parish and literary labors. It was openly declared that this arrangement enabled the pastor to enjoy many evenings in the society of Miss Moore undisturbed—on the theory of pressing church work.

There was no criticism of this condition of things up to a year or so ago. Pastor Tomson had made a success of the church in every way. Under his administration its debt was paid off and improvements made on the building. He was just beyond fifty years of age, but appeared ten years younger. His hold upon the loyalty of the women of his congregation, especially, was remarkable.

Then came Mrs. Fanny Kenworthy, a widow of considerable wealth, to reside in Woodbury, with her sixteen-year-old daughter, herself an heiress to $200,000 under the will of her grandfather, the late John Kenworthy, of Roxborough. They lived in the handsomest, best appointed house in the town, and identified themselves actively with the Presbyterian Church, of which Mr. Tomson was pastor.

After that the pastor spent less time with Miss Moore—ceased to make so much as she said to have joined.

Then began the period of Pastor Tomson's inability even to make the church prayers without notes; his worried manner noted by most of the congregation; the ceaseless pacing of his room at night which disturbed the hotel lodgers beneath him. What about Miss Moore? What would Miss Kerr do if he announced his engagement to Mrs. Kenworthy?

The announcement had to be made. Miss Moore's position the whole congregation soon knew—then the tragedy. After the tragedy the report that Miss Kerr had taken steps to take her claim upon the pastor into court was circulated.

Nothing was discovered among the pastor's papers to indicate that such a prospect had influenced his act. But in a drawer of his bureau one of the church authorities found a large cabinet photograph of Miss Kerr.

Found also were two railway tickets to Boston in the pastor's pocketbook, recently purchased—accepted as evidence that he had planned to leave Woodbury, Church, and a big majority of the citizens of Woodbury.

These men are convinced that the Rev. Mr. Tomson committed suicide because he knew that an investigation into his several affairs of the heart would be made by the elders of the First Presbyterian Church.

Scarlet Letter," planned to flee from the early Boston settlement.

But, as Pastor Dimmesdale chose to confess dying, Pastor Tomson appears to have chosen to die confessing—if "suicide is confession."

Mrs. Kenworthy has remained loyal to the memory of her affianced husband. After the funeral she said:

"I shall not stop my investigation into the cause of Mr. Tomson's death. I believe that George was murdered, and if was the victim of a foul play I shall find his slayer. Mr. Tomson was a true and God-fearing man. We were to have been married and he had everything to look forward to. There was nothing to mak him wish for death. As for the silly stories that he had entanglements with women—well, you may stamp them as lies."

But Mrs. Kenworthy is practically alone in her belief. Opposed to her County Prosecutor Rogers, Coroner Hunter, S. B. Breese, Judge Jessup, E. H. Kromer and other elders of the First Presbyterian Church, and a big majority of the citizens of Woodbury.

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Poor Little Willie Vanderbilt!

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cousin. She carried with her the atmosphere of happy home life. When she said that her papa was a good one she was revealing an interesting domestic situation. It is well known in society that Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt's younger brother, Reginald, is devoted to his little daughter, that the happiest hours of his life are spent in playing with her and that through the influence of his wife and child he has become a wiser and a better man.

Just before his marriage "Reggie" alarmed his family and his sincerest friends by his wild ways of living. As many persons will remember, he squandered a fortune estimated at $300,000 on gambling, and was long haunted by the criminal authorities as a witness in proceedings against Canfield. His actions in other ways were equally alarming to his friends and calculated to make them fear that he had entered on a rake's progress, which would end in the traditional way.

Fortunately he married Miss Cathlee Neilson. No sooner did he become a husband than he appeared a changed man. He ceased to gamble, drink, frequent the races or to do any of the things that lead to perdition. When at length he became a father his transformation was complete. Now he is not only a model husband and citizen, but a radiantly happy father.

It is generally recognized that the worst evil of divorce is in its effects on the children. When their parents are divorced they begin life under a shadow, their ideas of domestic life are perverted and they are likely to become matrimonial wrecks themselves in later years. We find that divorce usually runs in families.

Conversely the greatest blessing of married life lies in a loving sympathy between parents and children. The man who has a child into whose thoughts, occupations, education and amusements he enters with all his heart has an interest in life and in the future of humanity which he can find in no other way. Husbands and wives forget to quarrel with one another if they both occupy themselves with the intelligent care of their children, and at the same time they avoid dangerous amusements.

These truths are well illustrated by the parents of the little ones whose touching conversation has been recorded here.

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THE SECRET OF SEX DISCOVERED AT LAST?

In the Case of the Kaiser, the Factors Are Just the Reverse of the Czar's. His Consort is of Robust Vitality in Contrast to His Own Innately Feeble Constitution—Five Successive Sons Were Born Before a Sole Daughter.

Prof. Romme, the French Scientist, Says That Weak Fathers Have Sons; Weak Mothers Have Girls—and Explains How Sex May Be Controlled.

IT was nearly ten years ago that Dr. Schenk, of Vienna, aroused the interest of the entire world by his announcement that he had discovered the secret of sex. Dr. Schenk died before his researches were fully perfected.

But Dr. Romme, a French scientist, took up the work where Dr. Schenk stopped and has carried his investigations and experiments to a final conclusion. Professor Romme is now able to confirm the main propositions set forth by Dr. Schenk and to announce several new and extremely interesting discoveries.

There is, perhaps, no more interesting question in human life than the mystery of why you were born a boy or a girl—no problem of more far-reaching consequences than the power to control the sex of future generations. It has been abundantly shown that the whole current of human history would have been changed had man possessed the key to the secret of sex in past ages.

Why is it that some parents have only boys and others only girls, and still others the normal half and half or near it?

Professor Romme's answer is very simple, and he asks any one who doubts to think of the families they know in which children of one sex predominate and see if his explanation is not borne out by observation. He says:

"Whether children are born boys or girls depends entirely on the comparative physical vigor of the parents. Suppose, for instance, that the father, from age, sickness, dissipation or any other cause, has not the vitality of his younger, healthier wife, then the offspring will be boys. If the wife is naturally delicate or becomes so for any reason so that her vitality is below that of her husband, the babies will be girls.

"In short, the sex favors the weaker parent. A weak father will have mostly boys—a weak mother a majority of girls. This discovery is of immediate practical value to parents who have a one-sided family and are wishing for brothers for their girls or sisters for their boys, because it points a way to achieve the desired result.

"If you want the next baby to be a girl instead of another boy, it is necessary to raise the general health of the husband to a degree a little superior to the wife's. If you want a boy, make the mother the physical superior, and a boy will be the result."

The children of the venerable Lorin Farr, of Salt Lake City, are an unusually striking example of this law, because, being a Mormon, he had five wives. Among his 326 children and grandchildren the workings of the "law of cross-heredity" reveal themselves unmistakably.

One wife was a remarkably vigorous specimen of womanhood, while the other four were inclined to be "delicate." What was the result? Four wives gave birth to almost exclusively girl babies, while the fifth, who was the vigorous one, presented her husband with nothing but boys.

Mr. Farr at the time the picture on this page was taken was eighty-one years of age, and strong and active.

His splendid vitality compared with that of four of his wives caused the preponderance of girls seen in the picture. His fifth wife, however, was a still more perfect specimen, and in her case the law of "cross-heredity" favored the father as the weaker parent.

"What happens when the parents are of equal strength?" has been asked. Dr. Romme asserts that there are no instances where the parents are of equal vitality for any length of time. Worry, overwork, or even a passing illness of the moment, is enough to turn the scale and make one parent the weaker.

Old age is one of the weaknesses which nature favors particularly in determining sex. When old men marry young women the offspring is in a large majority of cases male. The older the husband the greater the probability of a boy, until when we reach such a case as that of the Marquis of Donegal it amounts to a certainty.

The husband in this case was over eighty years of age when his youthful wife gave birth to the little Earl of Belfast. He was extremely anxious that the baby would be a boy. Had he known the law of cross-heredity he need not have worried.

Professor Romme cites as prominent examples the cases of the Kaiser of Germany and the Czar of Russia. The German Emperor, born with a feeble constitution, one arm shrivelled and paralyzed, and an affection of the throat which must some day kill him, has fought disease with all the powers of a resolute will. Knowing the handicap of health under which he has suffered it is easily understood why he has had five sons in succession.

With the Czar the factors have been just the reverse. His constitution is naturally hardy, in spite of his rather pale face, and his physical superiority to his Czarina is revealed by the four daughters which resulted before at last the longed for boy arrived.

In the diet which Dr. Romme prescribes for the mother when a boy is desired he follows largely the prescriptions of the famous Dr. Leopold Schenk, who advocated a strongly nitrogenous diet. His patients were ordered to eat as much meat and fats as possible and as little sugar and starchy foods as they could.

The old theory of cross-heredity was based upon nourishment. It was found that among savage tribes, where the men ate the best of everything and the women got what little remained, there was an equal proportion of boys.

As a result of the investigation the following suggestions are made for the predetermination of sex:—

"The connection of the development of sex with an imperfect physiological combustion of the food can only be considered as demonstrated, if it is possible, by means of certain exact experiments in this direction to reach results which incontestably make for the possibility of influencing sex.

"Most striking of all are the cases where a number of daughters have come into the world one after another as the results of a marriage.

"The condition of a woman in a well-regulated married state, when, as we will suppose, five or six girls are born, one after another must be considered to be of a kind that departs more or less from the normal. The human female, if we regard the general statistical data, ought to bring forth approximately the same number of male and female individuals. If we find so remarkable an excess in the direction of either males or females, that six or seven of the same sex follow one another, there must be a reason for this.

What can we do to relieve such an abnormal state of things?

"The treatment consists in giving the mother a highly nitrogenous diet with fat, and adding only so much carbo-hydrate as is absolutely necessary to prevent its want being felt.

"It also sometimes happens that, even with careful dieting, the conditions which are necessary for our purpose are not realised, viz., that the surplus of sugar in the system does not disappear, that the mother cannot accommodate herself to a diet of the kind required. She finds the situation intolerable, because she cannot do without an abundance of starchy substances and sugar, and in consequence all hope of a satisfactory result falls to the ground.

"There are persons who, from their youth upwards have lived principally on vegetable food, and are therefore not accustomed to take the nitrogenous substances of their diet in the concentrated form in which they are presented in the albuminous constituent of meat. They obtain the necessary nitrogen for the body from large amounts of food containing a great quantity of water, and it may happen that they cannot easily submit themselves to such a change of diet without pernicious consequences.

"To this class belong the women who live in the rural districts of many of the mountainous regions of central Europe, where little flesh is eaten. With them it might often be a difficult matter to make an abrupt change of diet of the desired kind. Such individuals can be reconciled to the kind of diet we recommend only by a gradual advance in the quantity of concentrated nitrogenous food. But in such cases it might very likely prove possible to attain our end by a corresponding vegetable diet.

"Let us now, in conclusion, endeavor to make some short reflections on the results which we are able to attain.

"First of all, one would say that in certain regions and among certain peoples, where meat forms the principal diet, a large preponderance of male offspring would be anticipated.

"The different experiments which breeders have made, and the observations which have repeatedly shown in the case of the invertebrata (v. Berlepsch, 'Die Biene und ihre Zucht,' second edition; Landois, 'Physiologie'), a connection between food and the development of sex leave no doubt that in the case of the human subject also, a certain diet of the mother would not be without influence on the sex of her child. Here, however, according to my opinion, the result does not depend on the diet alone, but rather on the process of metabolism in the mother.

"How the physiological combustion goes on in the organism, and what changes take place in it, in consequence of the altered diet, until sugar entirely disappears, is in the case of human beings of the highest importance, and furnishes an index of the consequences.

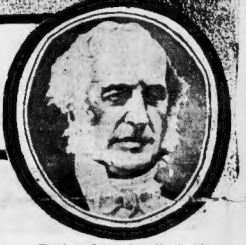
"In individual cases the diet is directed in accordance with the results that show how the food has been assimilated and does not depend upon these alone. In other words, whether the mother eats much meat is a secondary consideration. Whether and how the food is taken is completely made use of in the process of combustion—that is a matter of importance for the purpose we have in view.

"Any one who keeps before him the fundamental principles of this theory will see plainly that it is possible, under certain circumstances, to procure male progeny by means of the influence we have indicated. The wish to have female progeny is a desire for the gratification of which it is only necessary to build up the general health of the father.

"According to statistics more boys than girls are born in the years with a poor harvest. Bad harvest years are those which favor a flesh diet, as the food-stuffs from the vegetable kingdom do not suffice for the cattle, nor for the people either, in consequence of which the cattle are killed, and more flesh enters into the diet of the women.

"If the dieting of a woman in the way we recommend is practicable and of definite effect upon the development of the future sex, we arrive at a conclusion which may be summed up as follows: If a woman be dieted according to our method, she can reach a stage in which she becomes physically superior to the man, and her offspring will then be male, in accordance with the law of cross-heredity of sex.

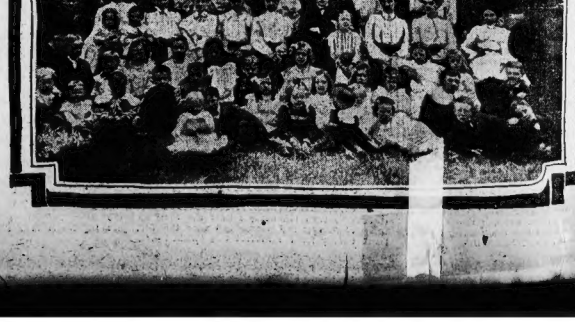
The Case of Commodore Vanderbilt, a Man of Superb Vigor and Intense Vitality, Would Seem to Bear Out the Surprising Theory of Dr. Romme. He Had Twelve Children, Nine of Whom Were Girls, Who All Lived to Maturity.



The Late Commodore Vanderbilt.

The Family of the Present Czar Is a Prominent Case in Point Cited by Dr. Romme. His Physical Superiority Over His Wife Who Is Neurotic, Is Revealed by the Birth of Four Succeeding Girls Before One Boy.

The Late Marquis of Donegal Was Over 80 When His 20-Year-Old Bride Gave Birth to a Child. It Was a Boy—According to the Law of "Cross-Heredity."



The Family of 326 Children and Grandchildren of Lorin Farr, the Mormon, Which Might Be Cited as a Striking Illustration of the Romme Theory. By Four Wives Who Were Relatively Delicate the Offspring Was Almost Exclusively Girl Babies. By a Fifth Wife, When He Was Over 60, While She Was Far Younger and Remarkably Vigorous, All the Offspring Were Boys.

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The New Beauty Science of Cosmetics

An Instructive Lesson by a Beauty Doctor Who Is Both a Scientist and a Pharmaceist, on Just What Rouge Is Safe to Use and Just, in Detail, How to Use it, to Perfect Daylight "Make-Up."

1—In Preparing for the "Make-Up" the Muscles of the Face Are Well Held Up While the Astringent Is Being Applied.

6—"I advise most strongly against the ordinary eye-brow pencil, as it pulls out the eye-lashes and eye-brows and in general does more harm than good."

By St. Claire Rainsford-Gay, Ph. G.,
Pharmacist to the French Hospital of New York City.

HAS any one ever stopped to ask herself what are cosmetics? What is deced only four ounces of this unguent. their legitimate use? Judging from the opinions extant, I should say—no.

Cosmetics are simply forms of external medicaments and their use is exactly the same as that of internal remedies—they simply tide over and assist nature during a certain period.

In giving this, the scientific definition, have I given food for reflection? I think so. Every woman—almost, I might say—uses cosmetics today. Some are adept in the art, others are not. But every one agrees that beauty is a necessity and no longer an accessory. The wear and tear of the age, the predominance of electricity, and, above all, the color combinations prescribed by the modistes of to-day, are all responsible for these artificial aids to beauty, and the question has now resolved itself into what to use and how to use it.

Cosmetics are used for two purposes: first, to conceal blemishes; and, second, to accentuate the charms one already has. However, as I find that the majority of women accomplish neither of these good and legitimate purposes, but instead make up rather as a caricature than a pretty picture, I shall give the rules that must be observed in order to get results that are perfect.

Always make up by a strong light, whether it be day or artificial.

Select your cosmetics carefully, experiment until you find the quantity which produces the most pleasing effect, and never vary the amount, using just as little as possible.

In giving the prescriptions mentioned herein, I have selected those which constitute a perfect line of cosmetics, considered from both a beauty as well as a scientific viewpoint.

These preparations are the results of a series of experiments in which the best and most useful ingredients have been incorporated. Each article has its definite action and purpose, and every remedy is absolutely harmless, so that it may be used for an unlimited time without fear of detection or injury. I strongly advise having these formulas compounded by a competent pharmacist, as the cost is but a few cents more, and it is practically impossible to find in the average house chemically clean utensils and exact weights and measures, which are indispensable if perfect preparations are sought for.

I find that the best results for a daylight make-up are obtained in the following manner, and my model has posed to illustrate the more important points. By carefully following these instructions every woman can, in the privacy of her own room, beautify herself. The face is carefully prepared the night before by washing with warm water and a bland soap, preferably castile, and thoroughly rinsing with four or five successive waters, each one being just a trifle cooler than the one before; but never dash from very warm to very cold water, as that cuts off the circulation, and the skin soon assumes that "dead look."

The skin is now in a receptive condition and each minute pore is waiting, open mouthed, to be fed. Consequently use the following unguent, each ingredient of which has a special duty—the nourishment of the tissues, by means of which the youthful contour is not only retained but also regained:

℞—Sevi .....1½ oz.
Cerae Albae.....½ oz.
Ol. Olivae.....2 oz.
Spir. Rosae.....aa ½ oz.
Spir. Hamamelidis.....
Aq. Dest.....½ oz.
M. ft. ungt.

Sig: For external use as directed.

As I do not believe in massage for any woman under forty years of age, the face is but lightly manipulated with a rotary motion, always in an upward direction, because the lines of joy go up and those of sorrow, down.

Perhaps you will wonder why I have ordered only four ounces of this unguent. Well, let me explain. Each ingredient is purely organic and liable to decomposition. It is not made like other creams, also organic, but, nevertheless, petroleum products, which are sure to grow hair on the face during continued usage. This unguent is to use and not to keep, and the quantity as above given is sufficient for one month.

The small amount of unabsorbed unguent is removed with a piece of soft gauze and the following astringent and bleaching lotion is applied with an absorbent cotton pad:

℞—Zinci Sulph.....16 grains
Ol. Rosae.....
Ol. Rosemarini.....aa m. 25
Ol. Aurantii Flor.....
Alcoholis.....1 oz.
Ac. Acetic. dil.....2 drams
Aq. Dest. q. s. ad.....16 ozs.
M. ft. lot.

Sig. External use only, as an astringent.

As shown in the illustration, the muscles of the face are held in position between the forefinger and middle finger and the fragrant water gently "spatted" on the cheeks and forehead, again following the upward contour of the face.

You will particularly notice the small quantity of alcohol that I use in this lotion, simply sufficient to hold the oils in solution, for there are very few skins that do not become cracked and dry from the constant application of strongly alcoholic solutions. In the morning one will have a perfectly smooth skin on which to apply the daylight make-up.

Color is the chief thing here, and effects are obtained from blending together only such colors whose complementary tones are natural; that is to say, simple.

After washing the face with only warm water, the "Tritone" rouge, en rouleau, is dipped in some clean water and quickly passed over the entire face with the exception of the forehead and nose, and carried well down on the chin and neck. Behind as well as in front of the ears; then the ear lobes, outer portion of the ear, and the inside of the nostrils are all lightly touched, so that their pallor will not suggest the make-up to the uninitiated. As here illustrated, the coloring is accentuated on the cheekbones, but the point of accentuation depends entirely upon the shape of the face, those having long, thin faces rouging low and heavily, to give width, and those having round faces, as shown by the model, rouging high, to give length. Before the application has time to dry go quickly over the face with a gauze pad, wet with warm water, and tone down all lines. This is imperative, because the rouge cannot be removed after once it has dried, as it forms a definite but harmless chemical compound when in contact with the skin for a moment or two, and is soluble only in a saponified medium.

The rouge is proof against perspiration as well as water, and may be applied, a dip in the ocean indulged in and the fair bather emerge as radiant and rosy as before.

The formula of the rouge is so intricate that I do not care to give it, but shall be glad to send the name of the maker, provided it cannot be found in any drug or dry goods shop.

Rouging lightly down on the neck covers all traces of age which so quickly show themselves at that spot. If the neck is saggy do not use the popular tannic acid ointment, as that will do just what its name implies, tan the neck to a leathery state, but rather use this preparation:

℞—Hydrogenii dioxidi.....1 oz.
Sacci lignonis.....1 oz.
Mix.

Sig.—External use.

As this solution keeps but indifferently, it is best to have only a small quantity prepared at a time.

2—Next the Rouge is Applied Not Only Over the Cheeks, but Well Down Over Neck and Chin, Behind as Well as in Front of the Ears, Into the Lobe of the Ear and Up Into the Nostrils.

3—In Massaging the Neck After the Bleach to Remove Every Line, Especially Those Cruel Lines Below the Ears, Be Sure and Use the Upward Rotary Motion. "The lines of joy go up; of sorrow, down."

4—Just How the Lips Are Tinted Full in the Centre and Pale Gums, If They Show, Are Delicately Tinted Pink.

After having applied this bleach, then massage the neck as shown in this illustration, using the upward rotary motion.

℞ Sol. Carmin. Ammon. ½ dram.
Cretae Preparat. 4 drams.
M. Make powder.
Sig.—Apply to gums with cotton stab—
To be used but once in three days.

The advantages of this powder are twofold, because it not only reddens the gums, but also brings out the whiteness of the teeth, thereby enhancing the beauty of the mouth. In touching up the eyes so as to produce just a suspicion of a shadow and a dreamy expression, a pomade is used and applied by means of a camel's-hair brush. I advise most strongly against the ordinary eyebrow pencil, as it pulls out the eyelashes and eyebrows, and in general does more harm than good. Kohl is the favorite coloring for the eyes, but chemically it is a salt of antimony and disastrous results inevitably follow its use.

℞—Anil. black (oil sol.).....15 grains
Anil. blue (oil sol.).....5 grains
Petrolat mollis.....½ dram
Mix as pomade.

Sig.—Apply to brows and lashes.

This pomade is applied as shown in this picture with a tiny brush to the eyelashes of the upper and lower lid, the eyes being closed, and on the lower lid where the lashes are thin, a fine line is drawn from the middle of the eye outward to the corner, there meeting that of the upper lid, thus elongating and apparently enlarging the eye.

The same pomade was painted on the brows, which were beautifully arched but painfully thin. After allowing this to remain on for a few minutes the eyelashes and brows were brushed with a heavier camel's-hair brush, removing any superfluous pomade, yet leaving sufficient to cause one to wonder at a change which, though apparent, was undefinable. Merely pretty eyes are thus made beautiful, and if used for a long enough time, this preparation, because of the petrolatum contained in it, will cause a luxuriant growth of both lashes and brows. To brighten the eyes, a fragrant solution made after this formula is used:

℞—Sod. chlorid, gr. x.
Aq. Camphor.....½ dram
Aq. Rosae sufficient to make 2 ounces.

The eyes are carefully washed with this lotion, and carefully patted dry with clean gauze, but never rub them dry, for that causes them to fall back in the head, and thus appear very small. The final touch to the makeup consists of a light application of powder. A mineral powder, daintily perfumed and faintly tinted is patted on the cheeks and gently rubbed down, as illustrated, until every minute particle is evenly spread over the face and neck, and not a trace is noticeable under the strongest light. I never use a rice powder because the material being organic, is decomposed by the perspiration, and should a grain remain in a pore, that grain will swell from the moist secretion and cause an unsightly blackhead. But neither must you be indiscriminate in the selection of a mineral powder, for some of these preparations are nothing more or less than combinations of poisonous metals, which are positively dangerous to use. However, if you will use the following powder,

℞—Bismuthi Subnit.....2 drms.
Zinci Oxidi.....2 drms.
Cretae Praecipitat.....1 oz.
Alk. Sol. Carmin.....
Sufficient quantity

Mix and pulverize.

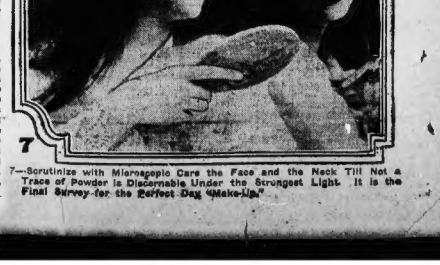
Sig: For toilet use.

which is so blended as to suit almost every skin, I am sure you will look just as pretty as my model in this illustration, who is now ready for her daylight promenade, but who must return to me to be beautified for her evening appearance, as that requires a different combination of cosmetics to give at night the same effect. I will tell you about that again, with the unguent before mentioned.

Next I turn my attention to the lips, and you can readily see how the mouth can be distorted instead of arched into a cupid's bow by a simple stroke of the stub. The "Tritone" rouge, which is an entirely different shade to that used on the face, is applied by means of a pointed stub and, as illustrated, the lips are tinted full in the centre and a faint line drawn upward at the corners. The effect is extremely pretty, and is emphasized by pearly gums, which, if they are pale, may be tinted with the following powder, which is perfectly harmless.

5—Drawing with a Tiny Soft Brush a Fine Line Where the Lashes Are Thin from the Middle of the Eye Outward to the Corner, There Meeting the Line on the Upper Lid.

6—The Final Touch of a Mineral Powder Faintly Tinted Which is Patted on the Cheeks, as Butter is Patted, and Gently Rubbed Down Until Every Minute Particle is Evenly Spread.



7—Scrutinize with Microscopic Care the Face and the Neck Till Not a Trace of Powder is Discernable Under the Strongest Light. It is the Final Survey for the Perfect Day "Make-Up."

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What Those "Merry Widow Hats" Have Done

How Her Hat Made a Fine Life Preserver and Saved Her Pet.

Put Out a Girl's Eye--Held Up a Fast Express--Rescued a Would-be Suicide--Saved a Pup from Drowning--Prevented a Panic--Stopped a Play--Peppered a Woman Full of Gun Shot by Mistake --and Caused a Divorce.

LAST year it was the "peek-a-boo" gun its provoking career of inanimate cuswaist that raised a reel rumpus from one end of the country to the other. Now it is the gigantic hat. Sometimes a whole yard—3 feet—36 inches across—"The Merry Widow"—and sometimes half as high—a marvellous Gargantuan, monstrous mass of architectural millinery that is the provoking cause of more comicality, more profanity—from men—than more nuisance, and catastrophes of many other side. Then inevitably I am asked if

A Cross Section of One of the Latest 36-Inch Confections, Showing Its Relative Proportion to Its Wearer.

Prominent modistes have declared that the craze for big hats is a milliner's midSpring madness.

"We cannot get them large enough to suit our customers," said Mlle. Comae, of New York. "They have asked me for the largest, and I have searched the market for them, and even had to cable to the

Her Hat Mistaken for a Bird's Nest and Its Wearer Riddled With Gun Shot.

Just Why Miss Shonts Couldn't Rush Off That Telephone Message at Sherry's.

Miss Marguerite Shonts and Her 34-Inch "Cart Wheel."

The Way Her "Merry Widow" Prevented Miss Zelma Davis from Committing Suicide.

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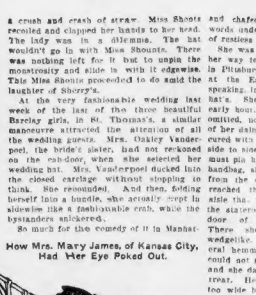

How the "Bird on Nellie's Hat" Held Up the Pacific Express.

How Mrs. Mary James, of Kansas City, Had Her Eye Poked Out.

And a Bird's-Eye View of the Same Hat and the Girl Who Goes Under the Hat.

The Monstrosities That Stopped the Play in Paris.

Side View of One of These Very Latest Abominations of Fashion—Thirty-six Inches Across.

wore curious kinds than you could shake a stick at.

The huge hat is everywhere. It is part of the wardrobe of every woman, whether fashionable or not, for no woman is so far behind the fashions as not to have such a possession. From jest it has become earnest, from a joke a serious matter.

The storm of criticism it has provoked has reached all grades of life. The big hat has already, like that other folly, the peek-a-boo, figured stormily in the churches and in the theatres, and in all phases of society that lie between these extremes of amusement and of seriousness. It has delayed trains. It has saved lives. It has created one theatre stampede and averted another. It prevented a pretty, dejected girl from drowning herself, and it has caused several churches to solemnly propose that all women wearing the millinery monstrosities must remove them during the hours of worship. It has put out people's eyes, got in the divorce courts already, and may be said as yet to have merely begun.

I cannot make them a little larger, and I have had to add several rows of braid or arrange a large frill or trim the hat so that a feather will extend over the side to make it look yet larger than it is."

"My customers have asked me how wide is the widest brimmed hat made, and I have answered, 'thirty-six inches.' They have asked me why they were not made forty inches," said Mr. Millard Koch.

Miss Marguerite Shonts, the sister of the newly widowed Duchess de Chaulnes, was one of the first to appear among New York's "400" with one of these cart-wheel sailors—thirty-four inches of black straw in circumference, with a single wreath of creamy magnolias. It was at Sherry's, at the fashionable tea hour in upper Fifth avenue. It suddenly occurred to the pretty Miss Marguerite that she must use the telephone and a sudden descent she made upon the telephone booth as directed by Central, when, lo and behold! there was a crush and crash of straw. Miss Shonts recoiled and clapped her hands to her head. The lady was in a dilemma. The hat wouldn't go in with Miss Shonts. There was nothing left for it but to unpin the monstrosity and slide in with it edgewise. This Miss Shonts proceeded to do amid the laughter of Sherry's.

At the very fashionable wedding last week of the last of the three beautiful Barclay girls, in St. Thomas's, a similar manoeuvre attracted the attention of all the wedding guests. Mrs. Oakley Vanderpoel, the bride's sister, had not reckoned on the cab door, when she selected her wedding hat. Mrs. Vanderpoel ducked into the closed carriage without stopping to think. She rebounded. And then, folding herself into a bundle, she actually crept in sidewise like a fashionable crab, while the bystanders snickered.

So much for the comedy of it in Manhattan. Quickly follows in the Bronx a tragedy of "the bird on Nellie's hat." A man with a shotgun was out hunting in the Edenwald Woods, Easter week, when he espied what he thought was a nest of birds in the bushes, and banged away at it. It was the plumaged headgear of Mrs. Mary Sanzen, and the poor woman underneath it was peppered full with the shot. In intense pain she was taken to the Mount Vernon Hospital and more than 100 lead pellets were extracted from her flesh. Her escape from death was the narrowest.

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By a curious little serpentine motion she tried to wriggle forward. She failed. The hat wouldn't slip. She tried a frank move-ment. The hat was as firm as a rock. It refused to yield by the slightest shade of an inch. It's huge bird was pinioned.

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"Tilt'er up," shouted the travelling man.

The girl knocked the underside of the hat brim as a cooper does a refractory barrel head. One side gave its last scratch upon the immaculate varnish of the car. Blushing curiously, the girl slipped from underneath the hat. It was the porter who, with rude hands, tilted it sidewise, lowered and carried it sidewise out of the car.

The girl bareheaded and with crimson face, received it from his hands on the platform. The conductor jerked the starting bell. The whistle shrieked. The train started. Every passenger's head was out of the window and every male throat yielded a cheer.

"It was at least a yard wide," said the women who admired the hat.

At nearly the same time a pair of enormous hats were creating a panic of indignation at the Chatelet Theatre, in Paris. Two handsome young women, wearing a Parisian form of the "Merry Widow" fad, with high oblique osprey feathers, took their seats in the second row. In corresponding seats in the third row sat two men, who had been enjoying a most chic Parisian dance. Suddenly, instead of twinkling toes and shimmering silk hose and an eddy of lace ruffles, the unfortunate patrons of mimic art beheld what looked like two enormous cartwheels of yellow straw, surmounted by a harpline device of crimson osprey feathers. The more daring of the men begged the lately arrived wearers to remove their hats. This they haughtily refused to do.

The men angrily left the auditorium and protested to the management. The manager declined to interfere. He said he was married, and that it was a braver man than he who would face a woman's wrath. The men, with set jaws, went out into the night. Bystanders thought with sympathy that they'd failed and sought comfort in absinthe. Having missed most of the second act, they returned and quietly took their seats. The women looked triumphantly at each other, and the crimson osprey feathers waved defiance at the enemy in the rear. But at that moment in filed four huge market porters, each wearing the big, enormous brimmed hats that are always a part of the costume of the market porter and squatted in the first row.

The women leaned forward and begged that the hats be removed. The porters were obdurate. The audience, perceiving the drama being enacted in the auditorium, burst into a roar of laughter. The actors stopped playing. Frantically the manager summoned the gendarmes and ordered that all six—the women in the big hats and the porters who wore hats as big—be arrested. The porters said two angry men had paid them good money to wear their hats into the theatre. The two men who had taken this mean revenge chuckled softly through the rest of the play.

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The bunches of Easter lilies made of paper grouped about the altar had been ignited by the burning candles, and in a trice the altar cloth was ablaze. The phalanx of big hat brims hid the sight of the flames from the rest of the worshippers until the fire had been extinguished.

"Vanity is a wicked thing," said the good Father Stephen, "but it was the vanity of the big hat that saved St. John's Church from a fire panic and an immense loss of life."

Miss Gillette, of Newark, N. J., could not swim. The puppy could swim but feebly, and the current of the Delaware was strong. The current swept the struggling pet dog down stream to a rock, upon which the puppy crawled, and where it sat howling dismally to its mistress on shore. Miss Gillette snatched off her big and becoming hat, tore off its heavy trimmings and, tying the end of its many yards of ribbon to the brim, swung it into the current and watched it drift down to the rock. With many whimpered coaxings she induced the puppy to climb aboard, and, drawing the ribbon, she carefully towed h[er] in. In Cleveland, O., Miss [illegible] leaped into Wade Park [illegible] was as a buoy and held her at [illegible] was saved. In Kansas City, Mo., Ada Sloan has been sued for $5,000 for poking out the eye of Mrs. Mary James with the edge of her "Merry Widow." Mrs. Grace Fowler, of Wichita, Kansas, sued her husband for divorce for failing in love with a Merry Widow maiden and won it.

Mrs. Julia Kane, a Philadelphia bride, while trying on her new hat, caught on fire and was so engrossed she didn't notice it till she was awfully burned. The bedowered wife of Miss Nancy Peel, of Bernard's, took fire in New York's Broadway, caused a street block and went to the police station. The National League of base ball managers in St. Louis have declared against the entrance of the "Merry Widow" into the grand stands, and at Joplin, Mo., the manager of the baseball park has been sued by one husband each for $10,000 for the absence of their wives and the latter's flight followed in the bloody scrimmages. In Kansas City again Miss Anna Sloan has sued the Metropolitan Railroad Company for not admitting her and her hat in a car, and in St. Louis Miss Mary Hasleton stabbed the policeman fiercely with a 12-inch hat pin because the door wasn't wide enough to get her hat in. The "Merry Widow" will grow big and be a murder yet.

The Bewitching Countess Monteil is a

Richly Dressed, With Dazzling Jewels, Renting Expensive the Most Fashionable Hotel in Nice, the Mysteri Has So Adroitly pean Titled Wome Millionaire Tour Uncove

THE secret of a remarkable series of daring jewelry robberies in the most fashionable resorts of Europe has been revealed at last with the arrest of a woman known as the Countess de Monteil.

Early in the Winter Baron de Rothschild, of Paris, while staying at one of the hotels at Nice, lost his pocketbook containing 100,000 francs in bills, his lady's watch, rings, ruby studs and scarfpins. The jewelry of the latter was worth $20,000. All these things were stolen from the Baron's bedroom during the night while he was asleep in bed. The Baron is a most methodical man, and there could be no doubt as to when and where his property was taken from him.

Before going to bed he placed his pocketbook and valuables, according to his custom, on a table at the side of his bed. When he awoke in the morning they were all gone. He had a slight headache, which was in reality, the effect of a mild dose of chloroform, but it was so slight that the cause of it was not understood at the time.

Strange to say, the door of the bedroom was locked on the inside, as the Baron had left it before going to bed. There was no other way by which the thief could have entered and escaped. The robbery was of a most mysterious character, and the police were unable to find any trace of the thief.

Similar robberies went on all through the Winter at the most fashionable hotels of the Riviera, including Nice, Cannes and Monte Carlo. The Winter resorts of Italy and Egypt were also plagued by the energetic robbers. Thefts had always been frequent at these places, which are filled with people possessing more money than sense, but this year all previous records were passed. In many cases large sums of money were stolen, and jewels of great value. There was almost a reign of terror among the possessors of diamond necklaces.

At last the climax came to the long sequence of daring robberies when the police arrested the Countess de Monteil just as she was on the point of robbing a rich American in the Hotel West End at Nice. The arrest was made by Inspectors Benoit and Henie, of the Central Detective Bureau of Paris. The American's name has been carefully withheld by the French police, according to their custom, in the preliminary stage of a case. It will probably not be necessary to prosecute the Countess for her last offense, as evidence has been discovered of a score or more previous robberies which she had carried out successfully.

The Police Inspectors, who had been shadowing her for several weeks, saw her through the keyhole of the door when she was on the point of robbing the American. They saw her climbing into her victim's room through the window, which she reached from the window of an adjoining room. She was dressed in as extraordinary disguise, consisting of black tights, a black coat, black felt slippers, and a thick black veil thrown over her face. In her hand was a revolver. They seized her just as she was creeping to the man's bed to give him a dose of chloroform. They sprang upon her and grappled with her. She fought like a hungry tigress, but they foiled her to the ground mercilessly, for they knew that she was a desperate character, and believed she was capable of killing any of them if cornered.

The Countess has now been identified as the chief actor in the robberies, which have been perpetrated for years in fashionable hotels and in railway trains, all the way from London to Cairo. The victims were usually persons of title or great wealth.

Last Summer Henry Rea, the Pittsburg steel millionaire, was robbed of a large sum of money, reported to have been $50,000, while traveling by train to the races at Windsor. Just before that the Countess of Buchan, an English noble woman, was relieved of her jewels. They had been placed in a carriage at Euston Station by her maid, but when the train had started the Countess found that the case had gone.

The Duchess of Sutherland lost her splendid family jewels while traveling from the Gare du Nord, Paris, on the way to England. The jewels were valued at $150,000, and among them was a necklace worth $50,000. They were contained in a green leather bag closed with a leather strap. The maid placed the bag on a seat in the railway compartment, the Duchess took a look at them, and then turned to talk to her husband, who was on the platform. Then she got on the train without thinking of her jewels again. Before she left France she realized that they had been stolen. After a long search a man was arrested for being concerned in the theft, and a portion of the jewels, valued at $30,000, were found in his possession. He absolutely refused to divulge what had become of the rest of them, and it is supposed that the bogus Countess de Monteil was his leader and had got away with most of the plunder. It has never been recovered.

The Countess of Dudley, whose husband was one of the richest noblemen in England, lost her jewels, valued at $200,000, through a robbery of a similar character at Paddington Station. She never recovered any of them.

In many cases the persons robbed in European railway compartments were murdered, and in several instances their bodies were thrown out on the track.

The former Crown Princess Stephanie of Austria, now the Countess Lonyay, was robbed of her jewels while staying at a hotel at Nice. The Countess, as most people know, is the daughter of the wicked old King of the Belgians, with whom she has quarreled because he kept her mother's property from her. The former Princess is very reckless, quite fond of gambling, and makes all sorts of queer acquaintances during her travels. While staying at Nice for the purpose of visiting the gambling tables at Monte Carlo she struck up a great friendship with the Countess de Monteil. She was unusually lucky at Monte Carlo and won $50,000. During the following night all her winnings were stolen from her room, together with jewels valued at $75,000, while she slept. The Countess de Monteil was particularly severe in denouncing the hotel keeper who took such poor care of a royal Princess who honored him by staying at his establishment.

The Crown Princess of Denmark suffered the greatest loss, probably, ever incurred in a jewel robbery on the European Continent. While she was traveling by railroad on a visit to her brother-in-law, the King of Greece, her entire collection of jewelry was stolen. It was valued at over $350,000, and not one article has ever been recovered. The Crown Princess of Sweden, who has recently become Queen, lost her jewels while staying at a hotel at Cannes. They were valued at $100,000, and included some pieces of great historic interest which could never be replaced, although the gems were not of extraordinary value. In this case her room was entered during the day time, and the theft was evidently committed by some one who was thoroughly familiar with the plan of the hotel, for the room was surrounded by others belonging to members of the Princess's suite and was difficult to approach without attracting attention. The Princess discovered her loss when she was about to dress for dinner. None of her jewels has ever been recovered.

The Countess of Warwick, famous as a beauty and more recently as a social reformer, was relieved of her jewels two years ago by some chance acquaintances, to whom she was explaining the desirability of distributing the property of the rich among the poor. The Countess Howe was another recent victim.

The Grand Duke Vladimir of Russia, uncle of the Czar, while travelling incognito to Paris, was joined in his compartment by a handsome French lady, whose pleasant manners and interesting conversation purred very much to while away the tedium of the journey. So agreeably did she impress him that it was not until she had said good-by and departed in a cab that he realized that she had separated him from $40,000 worth of jewelry.

The amount of property in the form of jewels stolen from hotels and in trains in Europe within the past ten years has been estimated roughly at $11,

The Countess de Monteil, Photographed Before a Great Ball at Nice Last Winter.

The Thief With the Tool Used for Opening Locked Doors.

She Crawls On All Fours to Her Victim's Bedside, Presses a Sponge of Chloroform Over His Mouth and Then Decamps With His Valuables.

Dressed in Her Black Disguise She Slips Into the Dark Hotel Corridor.

NOTE.—These four Photographs Are from the French Police Reconstruction of One of the Countess's Crimes.

wealth arriving on the platform, accompanied by several porters, maids and servants, carrying hat boxes, jewel cases and other articles. Frequently women are so careless as to leave a jewel case on the railway porters to carry and lose sight of them.

One lot of packages is thrown into a compartment and then the owner turns to look after the rest, to any porter to her friend. At this moment the Countess de Monteil would step into the compartment and help herself to the jewel case, or other object of value she was in search of. Of course in the hurry and confusion it would probably not be noticed that she had a right to be in the compartment, besides that she usually enjoyed a social chat with the other traveler.

Her favorite place was Monte Carlo, where she was stopping in one of the most-by town. She haunted the gambling rooms a great deal, frequently played, and always took a strong man who were winning heavily.

The extraordinary costume in which she was arrested, consisting of black silk tights, a tight-fitting black coat, which came just to the hips; thick, black felt slippers and a heavy

600,000. There is no more profitable and successful form of theft than this, especially when it is carried on in and around the great fashionable Winter resorts, where people of wealth are constantly coming and going.

The jewels are rarely recovered. The thieves always separate them from their settings, melt down the metal and distribute the stones widely among their confederates. They have to trust largely to one another's honor. When one of them is caught but little of the property is found on him, and he refuses to disclose the whereabouts of the rest, trusting that when he has served his sentence he will know where to find the greater part of his plunder.

The prevalence and success of this form of crime cause the police to attach great importance to the arrest of the Countess de Monteil, the most daring and resourceful practitioner of the villainous calling.

The arrest of the Countess created amazement in cosmopolitan society, for she had been a brilliant and conspicuous social figure at the Riviera Winter resorts. She is a handsome woman, of distinguished and imperious bearing, and dresses magnificently. She had been frequently in the society of persons of unquestioned rank and title, some of whom, perhaps, had been bribed to support her fraudulent pretences by her wealth and lavishness. She had also made the acquaintance of many Americans of the wealthiest classes, like the Vanderbilts and Morgans.

The Countess moved about from place to place with great frequency, stopping at every well-known resort from Ais-les-Bains, in France, to Cairo, in Egypt. She alleged that her health and nerves required her to travel a great deal. She always stopped at the best hotels, was very hospitable, made herself very attractive and agreeable in society, but always executed the deference which she considered due to her rank.

Her traveling expenses were very large, and she had to keep doing something all the time to pay for them. She carried out many of her most daring and successful feats on the railways. There is no place that offers such a good opportunity for appropriating other people's property and getting away with it safely as on a European railway train. A woman of almost completely concealed her face, of what they call in France "a hotel r ional robber of hotel rooms. But th Monteil was vastly above the usual class of criminal of which the police had specimens.

What is the purpose of the peculia scribed? Primarily it is intended to ena to escape detection in the dark corrid hotels at night. The heavy veil makes to recognize her in case some one catc of her. The slippery black tights make catch hold of her. The felt slippers walk without making a sound. The moreover, is designed to enable the w up ladders, crawl through windows, and perform other feats of agility wh extremely difficult in a woman's ordina

It should be mentioned that the se de Monteil is not only a very handsom remarkably powerful and vigorous—qui in fact.

From police inquiries it appeared t custom of the Countess to select i room of her victim. She always secu the hotel door, of such a thing as noted on it the rooms of men she thou bing. She never wasted her efforts on out money or valuables. When she w Carlo she usually plundered persons winning at the gambling tables, for those who were flushed and excited by the fickle goddess of fortune were a s plied with money, but were very care way they disposed of it.

Having spent the evening, perhaps, of her victim, she would bid him goo her room, and throw off her magnificent and reveal herself arranged in the criminal, except for the felt slipper veil, which she hastily added to co ple

Then she slipped out into the corrid of darkness, stepping aside into some heard a footstep; for the corrid hotels are usually dark and have plen ners. When she arrived at the door sh she would pull an instrument called a of her pocket and push it into the "outsitit" looks like a pair of curling end is a handle and at the other h catch hold of the end of an old-fashio kind still generally used in Europe. turns the key and quietly opens the do shows that nine men out of ten in

Burglar!

Apartments at ious Hand That Robbed Euro- n and American ists Is at Last red By the Police.

"The Police Inspectors, Who Had Been Shadowing Her for Several Weeks, Saw Her Through the Keyhole of the Door When She Was On the Point of Robbing the American. They Saw Her Climbing Into Her Victim's Room Through the Window, Which She Reached from the Window of an Adjoining Room. She Was Dressed in An Extraordinary Disguise, Consisting of Black Tights, a Black Coat, Black Slippers and a Thick Black Veil Thrown Over Her Face. In Her Hand Was a Revolver. They Seized Her Just as She Was Creeping to the Man's Bed to Give Him a Dose of Chloroform."

The Thief Listening to Find if the Occupant is Still Sleeping.

THE COUNTESS OF WARWICK.
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The Duchess of Sutherland. *The Countess Howe.* *Crown Princess Stephanie of Austria.* *The Duchess of Devonshire.* *The Countess of Dudley.*

...ided by ser- doors at night, but leave the key in the door on the ...g handbags, inside.
...of baggage. She would peep into the room, and if her victim ...e five their was in bed she would stop still for a moment to find ...y, and then if he was awake. In case he stirred she need only ...compartment, remain still, and the chances are that he will go to ...he sisters or sleep again, not realizing what has disturbed him.
...moment the Now she creeps up to the bed like a black panther. ...he compart- She has a sponge soaked with chloroform in her ...er whatever pocket. She stretches forth her arm and holds it to ...f the owner his nose. She can tell from the irregularity of his ...caught, breathing and the beating of his heart how the ...nt, and be- anaesthetic is working. She gives him just enough to ...equaintance send him soundly to sleep, but not enough to kill him. Then she turns her attention to his property. She takes her time, for she is safe from disturbance. She secures everything worth having and takes nothing worthless. She is particularly careful to take the man's pocketbook, but she does not bother about the jewelry unless it is particularly valuable. When she has got everything she wants she glides back noiselessly to her room.

...Even if she ...e, she would ...every day, ...t deal, fre- ...interest in

...he Countess ...rist, a very ...below the ...ry well that

The morning after a robbery of this kind the Countess was usually told about it by a chambermaid of the hotel. Then she would become very much alarmed and indignant on account of her own jewels, and would insist on moving away at once.

"My jewels are extremely valuable," she said to one hotelkeeper, "worth over 300,000 francs. I cannot ...s the garb ...," a profes- Countess de ...otel rat," a ...caught many

...costume de- ...e the wearer ...w of French ...it impossible ...as a glimpse ...t difficult to ...able her to ...eir costume, ...per to climb ... over roofs, ...h would be ...skirts. ...ed Countess ...woman, but ...an athlete.

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Another curious article seized by the police was ...th this she one of the usual plans of the steterooms furnished to ...ssengers on transatlantic ships. It was a plan of ...hows their the ship on which she returned to France, against

the numbers of the staterooms she had written the names of their occupants, and notes about their peculiarities and their possessions. For instance, she had written in one case, "No. 10. Valise with portfolio under seat. Very rich. Light sleeper. Robust. Chloroform."

She returned from America with plenty of money and jewels and a large collection of fine dresses. It was then that she was first known in France as the Countess de Montell, a name which she probably assumed in America. The people who have made her acquaintance since then have never known her by any other name. When she first returned to France she occupied a handsome apartment at 29 Boulevard des Italiens, which, of course, is in the heart of Paris.

She moved in very good society and made many friends of unquestioned position. For instance, she has employed for years M. Guillaume Silvy, one of the leading lawyers of Paris, whose father was a Bonapartist deputy. When she was arrested this lawyer said he was astounded at the suggestion that she was not a genuine countess and was of bad character.

In her apartment the Countess had a handsome portrait of a man in general's uniform, who, she explained, was her father, General the Count de Montell. It is quite easy to assume a bogus title in France and difficult to prevent anybody from using it, but anybody could have found out whether or not there was a general of a certain name in the French army. It is perfectly amazing that persons of social position should have accepted this impudent invention of a general who never existed. Many of the Countess's friends, it is explained were Americans and foreigners, not perfectly familiar with French institutions.

The last apartment of the Countess in Paris was at 3 Rue Gaillard. It was here that her papers and other belongings were seized after her arrest at Nice. The apartment was a model of artistic decoration. It das filled with art treasures and furnished with the finest authentic Louis XVI. furniture.

But, in addition to the art treasures, the police found 14 crowbars, 38 files of various sizes, 25 false keys and 27 outsitits, or instruments specially designed for opening hotel doors.

Besides these technical implements of theft, the Countess had a large collection of weapons. Among them were six revolvers of various sizes and makes, including a tiny one that could be held in the palm of the hand and fired between the fingers; twelve knives and five weapons known as "cels," a French variety of the sandbag.

The "cel" is a long, slender bag of flexible black leather, filled with shot. The criminal holds it by one end, and as he swings at the head of his victim the shot runs down to the other end and increases the force of the blow, which has a paralyzing effect. The "cel," of course, is particularly adapted to the use of hotel robbers, for it makes no noise and leaves no telltale blood. In case the man who is being robbed wakes up in time to realize what is going on and tries to catch his plunderer there is nothing left to do but quiet him with the "cel." The Countess always carried one under her costume. It is suspected that she used it several times, for in not a few of the mysterious hotel and train robberies that have occurred within the last ten years the victim was found in a dazed condition from the result of a blow on the head.

The police also arrested her former husband, M. Portal, at the Hotel de la Plata, in Rue Geoffroy Marie, because they have learned that he visited her occasionally. In his rooms they discovered a trunk bearing her name, and when they opened it they found it filled with crowbars, false keys and other burglars' tools. The man declared that his wife had given him the trunk to take care of some years ago and that he had no idea what it contained. He admitted that he dined with his former wife from time to time and that he was ambitious to become her husband once more, but she was unwilling on account of her superior social position. The police are uncertain whether he was associated with his wife in her career of crime or not.

Three accomplices of the Countess were arrested. They were all men of good appearance, who carried on operations like the Countess in the leading Winter and Summer resorts of Europe. The three were Hyacinthe Canesa, who passed himself off as a Russian diplomatist; Henri Jean Aguiton, who called himself a retired Secretary of Embassy in the French diplomatic service, and Marius Plandrin, who alleged that he was the son of a wealthy shipbuilder.

These three worked under the direction of the Countess. When she found herself making friends with a large coterie of very wealthy people she did not wish to break up her pleasant relations with them by robbing them immediately. So she indicated to one of her accomplices how he could pinch a trifle just to pay running expenses. When she had made certain where the biggest piece of plunder was she would take it herself, and then move on to another hotel, after making the usual loud complaints about the insecurity of the place she was leaving.

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WHY I CALL MYSELF HIS "SOUL WIDOW"

MOURNING AT THE GRAVE.

The "Affinity" and "Soul Mate" and "Soul Wife" have figured frequently in the news reports of late, but it has remained for an unmarried young woman in Michigan to announce herself as a "Soul Widow." Miss Charlotta Graham, of Cassopolis, has put on deepest black and with tearful eyes sits at the grave of the late banker, Carlton W. Morgan, who was shot by Mrs. George Metzker recently. Mr. Morgan was a married man who had lost his heart to Miss Graham.

By CHARLOTTA GRAHAM.

CARLTON MORGAN'S grave is mine to weep over. Through his death my soul is widowed. Does it lessen my grief to remember that some words spoken before witnesses had made him the legal husband of another woman? Does that lessen my grief or make me less the widow of his soul—the soul that was mine only.

Why did I love Carlton Morgan?

Ask me why the grass grows, or the apple falls from the tree when it is ripe. Why does the river run down to the sea? Does any one rail at the river because it does not run up hill?

I loved Carlton Morgan because he was mine. God made him for me. He had not been taught to think, poor boy. He did not know the mere momentary fascination exercised by a woman over a man could be anything other than love. So he married two women who fascinated him and then—then he met his soul mate, his other half.

I saw him coming and knew before his hand ever had touched mine that Carlton Morgan was "the one man." When we shook hands it was a compact, an unspoken oath. It was the union of two souls by Divine will, then and there and forever. It was one of the marriages made in heaven that by their purity and permanency shame the world.

And so I was able to meet my beloved without shame, looking coldly into the eyes of the wicked. I laughed when they reviled. I knew they did not understand and I didn't want them to understand very much. My little world and Carlton's was our own and we did not want too many people in it. It was enough that we both understood and that God knew.

There was nothing of a low, sordid passion about our love. It was as pure as the driven snow that covers the ground like a mantle of charity in the merciful Winter days. When Carlton kissed me my soul thrilled. To sit beside him was to be perfectly happy—happy as a little child with its mother.

My soul weeps when I think that Carlton came here on that last fatal day to see me, and because I was ill and unable to leave my own home he went with George Metzker to pass the time at Mae Green's home. You see, poor boy, he could not come to my house. My invalid father could not understand my love for Mr. Morgan. My dear, good, old mother wept and pleaded with me that I renounce him. So I could not ask him there.

I knew he was coming. Lying ill there, I felt it. How I longed to rise and go to him, but it was impossible.

Then came the "Judas Girl," Maude Behrner. I never shall forget her as she tripped in and kissed me on the cheek and chirruped "Carlton's here—Carlton's here."

"I know he is," I said, and then cried for an hour, because I wanted to see Carlton ever so badly, and all I could do was hold out my arms to him, while that other woman, to whom he was less than nothing, could go right to him and talk to him—even sit beside him.

Then in the night came a messenger—the awful messenger of death. I felt it coming. I remember I was sitting up there in bed with staring eyes and gasping breath. The hand of death was at my door. I knew it.

Then I heard Heath at the door say: "Carlton Morgan has been shot and killed."

Oh, God! To think that if I had only been able to see him he would never have been in the company of those people. If only he had been able to come to me, how bright everything would be to-day—what gay colors would shine where now all lies dark before me.

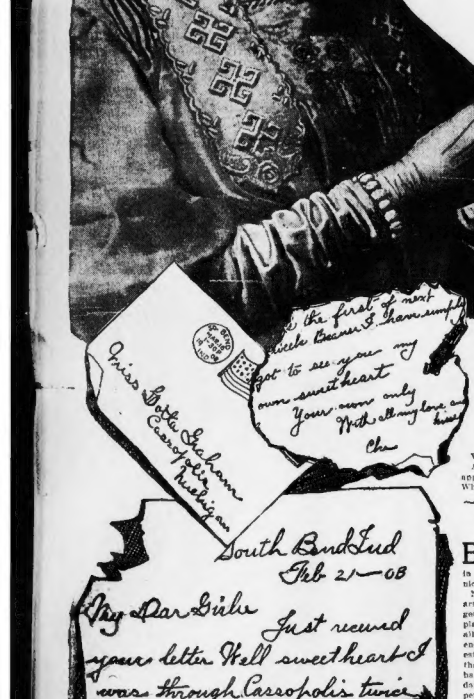
And they say I robbed a woman of her husband? That I was a creature lacking self respect; that I enslaved Carlton Morgan and made him a bad man.

If Carlton could speak he would tell the truth, that all might know it. What I took from Carlton Morgan was mine. No other woman ever possessed it. I had his love, and until he met me he never had loved.

What Carlton Morgan gave me I treasured above all else in the world. Had he left me wealth I would have rejected it. My ideal would have been destroyed.

What Carlton Morgan gave to his wife I did not covet. Our love was honorable. I loved him.

Now that he is dead he is still mine—more than ever mine. No one can stand between us now. It is I who am his widow, for no other soul was wedded to his soul.


Miss Lotta Graham
Cassopolis Michigan
South Bend Ind
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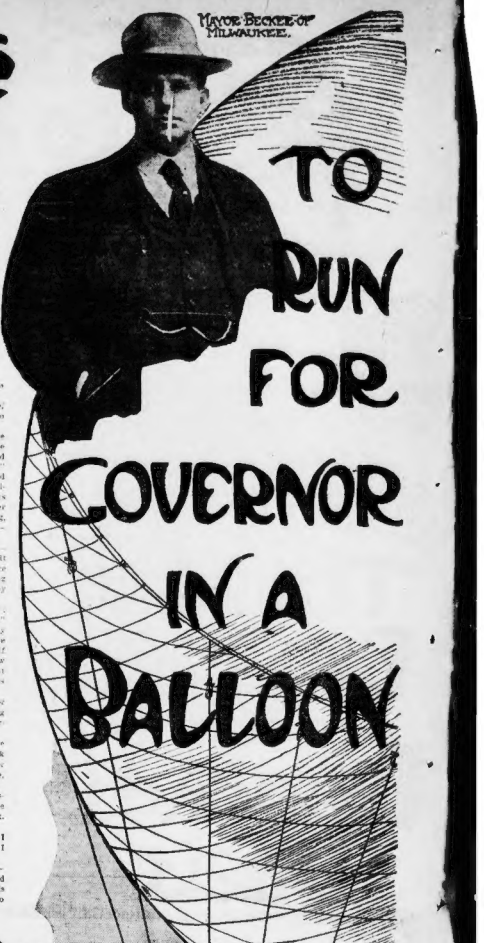
My Dear Girlie
Just recved your letter Well sweetheart I was through Cassopolis twice

FEARFUL PHOTOGRAPH OF MISS CHARLOTTA GRAHAM, "THE SOUL WIDOW," AND SOME OF HER LOVE LETTERS.



MAYOR BECKER OF MILWAUKEE.

TO RUN FOR GOVERNOR IN A BALLOON

The Proper Way to Pack a Trunk.

BEGIN by making a bottom layer of books, boxes, photographs and such uncompromising articles. Wedge these in very tightly, fitting them together nicely like a mosaic.

Next spread a layer of underclothing; arrange them neatly, those of a kind together, being sure that every button is in place, and the dainty ribbons as well, that all may be in readiness at the journey's end. Follow these with gowns, the heaviest always undermost. The corners of the hat box, and even the corners of the bars themselves, make safe places for dainty neckwear, ribbons, veils and such perishable belongings.

Handkerchiefs, gloves, etc., should be packed in the tray, in their own special cases. Pictures under glass may be carried in safety if wrapped in several thicknesses of paper, and laid between soft clothing. Small bric-a-brac and vases, if stuffed tightly with cotton wool or paper, and wrapped in corrugated paper, will carry well, but one should take care to place them near the middle of the trunk, so that no jarring can bring them into contact with the sides. Bottles should be carried in a hand satchel, where they can be investigated from time to time.

Last of all, to dispose of that goodly array of boots, slippers, ties, and foot-gear galore—a veritable "shoe solo" of the packer. Wrap each shoe separately and tuck them away in odd corners and empty spaces at the last moment, for a skilful packer is never satisfied until every cranny and crevice is filled, and she knows from experience that the contents of a closely-packed trunk will always carry better than those that have room to move about.

Before the trunk is closed, fresh towels should be spread over the things to protect them from dust and the rubbing of the trays, for she who would excel in packing must be dainty as well as deft, and exercise both ingenuity and common sense.

A Whirlwind Campaign In the Clouds.

TO boom himself from up in a balloon.

Sounds odd, doesn't it?

Fancy taking your young wife 1,200 feet up, sky-high, and dragging her around the clouds by the help of a silk gas bag of 26,000 cubic feet capacity, just to get folks to listen to you when you tell them just why you ought to be Governor—Governor of the State of Wisconsin.

That's just what young "Sherbie" Becker, the enterprising ex-boy Mayor of Milwaukee, has prepared to do. He went out of office Easter week. Now he begins the most sensational race for a gubernatorial nomination on record.

Young Mr. Becker always has loved to thing up "stunts" that no man before him ever conceived. Quite often this has lifted him high above the heads of other members of conservative tastes and methods. Once or twice this peculiarity has made him look ridiculous—but only once or twice.

It has been this boldness and originality of manner that made him, though one of the youngest lawyers in Milwaukee, Mayor of that city, and will make his administration memorable as long as the history of the beer city is written.

By the same methods—only more so—he expects to become Governor now.

In this ambition his young and attractive wife, who has always been hand-in-glove with him, as a loyal and devoted little wife should be, in all his projects, and even in this, the wildest political prank of all, she will be his partner and companion, sharing with him all the risks and remaining at his side as he soars into the clouds to boom himself.

Ex-Mayor Becker tells very carefully and with minute detail just why he is going to make his campaign this way. His best friends smile tolerantly at his serious complacency, and say that in all very well, but they know the real reason—to attract attention. It is the way the boy Mayor has with him.

Be that as it may, Mr. Becker has ordered from a St. Louis balloon manufacturing concern a monster gas bag. The car, excellently furnished and equipped, is to accommodate six passengers and all the necessaries of a successful and extended air trip.

In Wisconsin there is a direct primary law. Of course the bosses control the nominations to a large extent. But, under the provisions in the statutes, it is quite possible for a man who is successful in a popular campaign by personal appeal to defeat the plans hatched by the bosses.

Mr. Becker plans to stump the whole state and expects to put in five months doing it. For the major portion of Wisconsin he plans to use one of his several fast motor cars.

But there are certain large and important sections of the State where automobiles cannot successfully travel. For instance, the entire northwest portion of the State is almost impassable to the ordinary automobile, because of its dense woods, rough and broken roads, and vast stretches of prairie.

How to get his voice into the ear of every resident of this vast territory has been a problem of much moment with the ambitious young St. George against the "Dragon of Graft."

He told his predicament to a Chicago motor expert first in the hope that he might get some sort of a car especially built for just the requirements of his tour.

It chanced that the expert in question was also an enthusiast on airships and balloons and is president of a Chicago aero club.

"Why not try a balloon?" suggested the friend.

"Up in a balloon, boys, up in a balloon," he hummed, "what a stunt!"

The boy Mayor fell in with the suggestion at once. It tickled not only his sense of the unique, the bold, the sensational, but looked to him entirely feasible and practicable. To think was to act. He at once began his plans for the novel experiment.

First his enemies got wind of the scheme and they pooh-poohed the idea. "A balloon campaign? Gas," they cried. "Gas bag campaign. Its only cackle—sound and fury, signifying nothing."

Then his friends got the news. They gasped at the idea, even for Sherbie. They called on him and said:

"Now, look here, old man. We like you. We think you are the curly haired wonder, and the boy phenomenon, and all that sort of thing. But shake that idea out of your brain. The honest farmer will give you the rural laugh and you will be food for the feature writers and the joke papers forever."

But Mr. Becker shook them off, smiled and said quietly he had made up his mind to do it.

The greatest difficulty in his path lay in the direction of pretty Mrs. Becker, the recently "first lady" of Milwaukee and the first lady in the heart of its Mayor.

He pondered long over the quandary. He realized that a certain amount of hazard lurked in the enterprise. He knew that his wife would want to come along, nevertheless. He wanted her along, too, yet he wanted her kept safe and didn't want to imperil her life in a risky project.

Finally he did what many husbands before him have found a good plan in similar contingencies. He asked her squarely.

Mrs. Becker has never been in a balloon in her life. She has accompanied her husband to distant points of the world and shared with him in many strange and exciting adventures, but aeronautics are to her as strange as Greek.

She pondered a moment—just one brief moment—then she laid her hand on his arm and said.

"I'll go along, Sherbie, if you'll take me. Please let me go."

So he beamed and smiled and said he would take her and that they would rise and fall together on the success or failure of the plan as it might pan out.

The balloon car will be stocked with plenty of food enough to last many weeks, to provide for any emergency in case the machine might become unmanageable and get to wandering haphazard up yonder.

A balloon chauffeur, if an engineer of an air car may thus be termed, has already been engaged. He is an expert and guided one of the balloons in the transcontinental flight from St. Louis several months ago which attracted the attention of the world.

The balloon is to be geared with so sensitive an apparatus that Mr. Becker anticipates no trouble in its steering. He has a theory that a proper study of the strata of air enables a trained operator to find accurately the needed heights for any given direction, and he says that the gearing will be so adjusted that he can rise or fall to any wanted altitude with fine certainty.

In out-of-the-way places, where no fit platforms for the Becker oratory are arranged, he plans to anchor his strange vehicle to a tree or fence post, and, from an elevation of ten or fifteen feet, address the wide-eyed farmers over the side of the basket.

He thinks that in all he will probably have to travel about one thousand miles, as figured in latitude and longitude, in the balloon. With the ups and downs required for skidding back and forth, however, it is likely that the balloon will traverse several times that distance in all from the start to the finish.

He plans to make the start from Oshkosh, and after a few days of experimenting sail straight along with his boom from a balloon.

MRS. BECKER, WHO ISN'T AFRAID TO TAKE A RIDE IN A BALLOON WITH HER HUSBAND.

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The "Girl-in-Pie" Comes Back to Life!

ANSWER.—Mr. Thaw told me he had found out more about the "Girl-in-the-Pie," and he said that she had died in want, and that Stanford White had never bothered to do anything for her, and she was buried in Potter's Field. —FROM EVELYN THAW'S TESTIMONY AT THE THAW TRIAL.

SADIE JOHNSON, the famous "girl-in-the-Pie," who figured conspicuously in the Thaw murder trial, is alive and living in New York. It was brought out in evidence in the Thaw trial that Stanford White had been present at a notorious dinner given in Mr. James Breese's studio in New York.

The climax of this orgy was reached when half a dozen stands waiters brought an enormous pie into the room and carefully placed it on the table. A moment later the pie was opened and out stepped a very beautiful young girl clad in flimsy gauze, while a dozen mocking birds and doves fluttered forth from the pie.

When the dinner was over the "girl-in-the-pie" was carried off into captivity by Stanford White. Her name was Sadie Johnson. It was developed at the Thaw trial that Harry Thaw had told the story of Stanford White and Sadie Johnson to Evelyn Thaw, and an effort was made to find the famous "girl-in-the-pie." Mr. Thaw was informed and told Evelyn that Miss Johnson had died in poverty and neglect and was buried in Potter's Field.

This was the testimony of Evelyn in regard to what Stanford White and Harry Thaw had told her about Sadie Johnson, the "pie-girl":

QUESTION (by Lawyer Delmas)—Was there anything said by Mr. Thaw to you upon the subject of any other young woman as in connection with Stanford White?

ANSWER (by Evelyn Thaw)—Yes.

Mr. Delmas handed the codicil of her husband's will to the witness and she looked at the names mentioned therein. Mr. Delmas then continued his examination.

"In that connection, was there any statement made by Mr. Thaw to you, and by him, in connection with a young girl, which in the conversations between you was spoken of as the 'pie girl?'"

"Yes," replied Mrs. Thaw.

Q. And he spoke of her as the 'pie-girl' too? A. I don't remember his mentioning her name.

Q. Tell us what you told Mr. Thaw and Mr. White had told you. A. I told Mr. Thaw what Mr. White had said.

Q. Well, what was it? A. He said there had been a large sing dinner or supper—I forget which—and that this girl, a very young girl, I think he said she was fifteen years old and she had a very beautiful figure—she was an artists' model—and that it was the best stunt he had done at the supper; he seemed very proud of it.

And he said that he had a large pie, a great, big pie; and he took and had this girl put in the pie in some way, and also had some birds put in the pie with her, and that this pie was brought in and set upon the table.

And that somebody cut the pie open, and that when the pie opened this little girl stood up in the middle of the table and she just had a little gauze dress on—nothing else. And all the birds flew out—and he said it was a great hit, and it was the best thing he had ever done of the kind.

That was what I told Mr. Thaw that I knew. Then I said I asked Mr. White what the trouble was after, and then he said they had a terrible time over this girl—that the whole thing got into the newspapers."

Q. Did the subject of this girl that was then called the "pie-girl" come up at other times, and was her subsequent story told you by Mr. Thaw, or told by others in Mr. Thaw's presence and yours? A. Yes.

Q. Now we will take up the last or third conversation you have mentioned. A. The third was in Pittsburg, after we had married. Mr. Thaw told me he had found out more about the "girl-in-the-Pie," and he said that she had died—and that she had been married, that she had married some man, and that after the marriage this man had found out this story about this girl, and had left her or turned her away. I don't remember exactly, but she had trouble with her husband, and he said she had died in want, and that Stanford White had never bothered to do anything for her after that, and she was buried in Potter's Field."

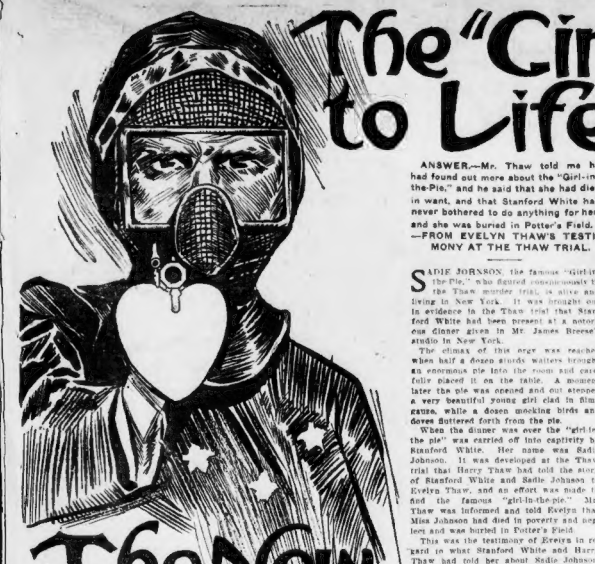
"Yes, I am Sadie Johnson, the 'pie girl,'" said Miss Johnson at her home in New York last Tuesday. "I read in the papers the testimony of Evelyn Thaw that I was dead and buried. I did not make any denial, because I had no desire to be brought in as a witness in the murder trial.

"I do not care to speak about my experiences with Stanford White after the famous pie dinner. I have been married and have lately been on the stage, because my husband lost his money and I was compelled to support myself. This last season I have been with Gus Hill's 'Happy Hooligan' company. This company has now closed for the season, and I am busy preparing a dancing act under the direction of Constantine. I expect to be ready in a few weeks and shall probably make engagements for some of the Summer resorts this Summer.

"I was in Lexington, Ky., playing with a theatrical company when I read of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's testimony about myself. Nobody in the company happened to know me as the 'pie girl,' and as I have been playing in the West, everybody believed I was dead and buried in an unnamed grave in Potter's Field.

"Last week when I came to New York I began to have many surprising experiences with friends and acquaintances who had known me in years past. Even my advance assurances that I am still alive in the flesh seemed, at first, to stagger them; but I am glad to be able to say that I am very grateful that I am still very much alive, and very grateful that I am not in a grave in Potter's Field.

"I have never met Harry Thaw and I do not know how he got it into his crazy head that I was dead and buried. Of course, my part in the pie dinner was well known to many, and it was known, too, that Stanford White stole me and carried me off that night. It was, I think, printed in the papers when the 'pie-girl' got married. But the rest of the story Thaw told his wife was one of his crazy dreams."



THE PIE DINNER.

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WAX BULLET
CARTRIDGE SHOWING THE WAX BULLET IN POSITION.
THE MASK WORN TO PROTECT THE DUELLIST'S FACE.

THE DUELLIST IN FULL ARMOR.

WALTER WINANS, AMERICAN MILLIONAIRE AND CHAMPION RIFLE AND PISTOL SHOT, WHO WILL REPRESENT THE UNITED STATES IN THE INTERNATIONAL DUELLI CONTESTS AT LONDON THIS SUMMER.

Why Young Men Should Marry.

THE world is full of foolish bachelors. They are running around spending their money in all sorts of profitless ways, when they would be much better off spending it in supporting a wife and family.

As bachelors they have nothing to show for the money spent. As married men they would have a wife, home and family.

As a young man the bachelor is free from responsibility and at liberty to spend all he earns upon himself.

But as an old man he is simply forlorn. Most men seem to have an idea that they can marry any woman at any age.

It is a mistaken idea, however. It may be possible for any man to marry, but it is not possible for him to pick and choose, especially after he is an unattractive old bachelor.

A man should marry between the ages of twenty-five and thirty-five. After the latter age he is beginning to get crabbed and fussy in his ways.

There is a great deal of talk about old maids being fussy and prim in their ways, but as a matter of fact they are not half as much so as old bachelors.

The married man makes a far better citizen than the bachelor. The points at issue in the city's government are of more vital interest to him.

The bachelor is selfish, thinking only of himself and his own pleasures.

The married man spends his life working for others. All that is best in him is developed and broadened, while all that is best in the bachelor is cramped and narrowed.

The married man mellows with age, the bachelor grows crusty or foolish.

There is no more furious sight than a lonely old bachelor. No matter how well off he is, he gets a neglected, shabby appearance.

An old maid can usually gather a few household knods about her and make a cosy nook for herself, even if her only home be a hall bedroom.

But the bachelor lives in a state of chronic untidiness and discomfort.

Bloodless Pistol Battles With Wax Bullets.

ONE of the odd features of the Franco-British Exhibition at London this year will be the duelling arena.

It is a little fenced off enclosure, at Shepherd's Bush, near the great Stadium where the Olympic games will be played.

Here Frenchmen, Englishmen and even Americans will meet each other every day in apparently deadly combat. They will go through all the forms of a real French affair of honor.

Seconds will be chosen, distances paced off—and at the umpire's signal pistols will flash. Everything will be realistic and exciting but there will be no bloodshed. For the bullets will be of wax. But even so they will strike with a wicked "spat." Consequently shields have been devised for the eyes, nose and hands.

This sort of duelling for sport will be under the direction of Dr. Devillers of Paris. He devised the methods about two years ago in order to train Frenchmen for meeting their foes in earnest. Accordingly the procedures are strictly according to the French practice.

A feature of these mock duels which will lend especial interest to the subject on this side of the Atlantic is the fact that Mr. Walter Winans will act as champion for the United States. He is a celebrated pistol and rifle shot and the Britishers and Frenchmen will find in him a formidable opponent.

Dr. Devillers is now training a number of men in duelling at the Jardin de Paris. The opponents or "foes," stand at twenty or twenty-five yards distance.

"Are you ready?" asks the commandant—and the combatants raise their arms at the word "Pif"—This is but a signal for aiming. It is quickly followed by "One, two, three"—and the opponents must shoot before the word three is pronounced.

As the pistols flash, the wax bullets strike and explode upon the body, leaving big, white blotches. They have been chalked so as to distinctly mark the striking spots. The man whose bullet strikes nearest to a vital point, such as the heart, is awarded the victory.

Sometimes the combatants are placed back to back. They walk fifteen or twenty steps in opposite directions, quickly turn round at the order and fire at once.

A third way is called "au vise." In this method of duelling the opponents aim at each other as long as they choose before firing. But shooting "at command" is generally done in real duels, so this method will be generally followed in the duelling sport.

The face mask consists of a piece of heavy plate glass held in place before the eyes by a hard rubber nosepiece. This will effectively protect the eyes from the wax bullets. Over the head and forehead and is coming down to the eyebrows is a cap with a hard enamel surface, looking like old-fashioned mail. Another kind of mask is made of stiff rubber and covers face, head and neck completely.

A heart-shaped steel shield fitted to the pistol directly in front of the trigger protects the shooter's hand. The "foes" wear long black blouses of a kind of rubber cloth, like machintosh. The exploding bullets make white spots, which are easily washed or rubbed off. The bullets expand on striking and thus appear to explode, leaving a big, sticky mass on the coat.

The wax bullets are put into shells like the regulation metal bullet, and behind them is a regular charge of powder, which shoots the bullet at the usual initial speed of ninety-five yards a second, so that their impact on any exposed part of the body would cause a severe smart or an actual wound.

But notwithstanding this, one famous pistol shot has declared his intention of not wearing a mask, and will take the chances of being struck in the eyes.

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Dr. Devillers, who has charge of the mock duelling, is well known personally in sporting circles in Paris. Many of his pupils have fought real duels. All of these have will be held under the auspices of the Federation Nationale des Societes d'Escrimes et Salle d'Armes de France.

The only American who has thus far announced his intention of entering the list is Mr. Walter Winans, as above stated. But in his both Britishers and Frenchmen know that they have a most skillful antagonist. He is a world's champion rifle and pistol shot. Besides, that, he is a great horseman, a sculptor of note and the possessor of many millions.

HOW TO READ CHARACTER IN EYES.

BLUE eyes are said to be the weakest.

Wide-open eyes are indicative of rashness.

Small eyes are supposed to indicate cunning.

Side-glancing eyes are always to be distrusted.

Brown eyes are said by oculists to be the strongest.

The downcast eye has in all ages been typical of modesty.

The proper distance between the eyes is the width of one eye.

People of melancholy temperament rarely have clear blue eyes.

Eyes with long, sharp corners indicate great discernment and penetration.

The white of the eye showing beneath the iris is indicative of inability of character.

When the upper lid covers half or more of the pupil the indication is of cool deliberation.

Singularly enough Mr. Winans has never been in his "native" country. He was born in St. Petersburg fifty-three years ago, while his father was constructing railroads for the Russian Government. The elder Winans was the builder of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad and made his millions in that and other great railroad enterprises.

After the coming Franco-British exhibition Mr. Winans intends to come to the United States to live. The yearning to see the land of his father has grown stronger and stronger of late years and has determined not to die "expatriated."

Mr. Winans has never displayed the least desire for business pursuits, preferring to spend his life in the field of art, and in rifle pleasure, instead of adding to an already large fortune. Horses have been his particular fad.

When Alfred Vanderbilt and Ogden Armour "invaded" England at the recent international horse show in London, and threatened to carry off all the honors, Mr. Winans came forward with his horses, and took nearly all the honors for his "adopted" country.

Now he is going to turn about and act as America's champion in the duelling arena.

Gray eyes turning green in anger or excitement are indicative of a choleric temperament.

An eye the upper lid of which passes centrally across the pupil indicates mental ability.

Unsteady eyes, rapidly seeking from side to side, are frequently indicative of an unsettled mind.

Eyes that are wide apart are said by physiognomists to indicate great intelligence and a tenacious memory.

Eyes placed close together in the head are said to indicate pettiness of disposition, jealousy and a turn for fault-finding.

Wide-open, staring eyes in wry countenances indicate jealousy, bigotry, intolerance and pertinacity without an

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THE MAN WHO STOLE THE EARTH

Most Thrilling Novel of Love and Adventure Since Jules Verne's Masterpiece.

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SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

The King of Balkania, who has a place at Cookham-on-Thames, where he is known as Mr. Montgomery Jones, is shot at from a launch by an emissary of his enemy, the King of the Sylvanians. Mr. Jones escapes, and himself shoots one of the men in the launch. The affair is witnessed by John Strong, son of Sir John Strong, who comes across the river and remarks that it seems a mistake to allow the companion of the dead man to escape. Mr. Jones replies no, as he is certain that he will return. He does so, and begs assistance to bury his dead. Strong, too, lends his aid, as he is in love with the Princess Diana, who is known as Miss Diana Jones. As they take turn in digging a grave Strong ponders on the airship invention of his friend, Joe Langley, and wonders how he can outdo it to win the Princess Diana. They have scarcely buried the Sylvanian when the Princess appears on the scene. Strong asks Mr. Jones for the Princess' hand, and tells him how, by station,

"He felt the flesh burst on his knuckles * * * and then his assailant, with a yell of agony, fell back into the bushes."

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CHAPTER XI.—(Continued.)

STRONG laughed. "Possibly," he said, "but it will not be mine."

Strong and Langley spent the afternoon in the launch beneath the willows. Langley was perplexed on many points, but Strong was gay and voluble in explanation. The tragedy of the thing did not weigh on his spirits in the least.

One thing appeared to prey on Langley's mind. "I cannot help it, old fellow," he said to Strong. "I really can't help it, but I keep on thinking of those words of Jones's. You know the ones I mean—'another grave in this plantation.'"

He caught at Strong's hand. "Don't be mad enough—don't be fool enough to go back. I know you mean to—I have seen it in your face all this afternoon. You mean to go back to Diana. It isn't worth it, old man—it isn't worth it. Believe me," he pleaded, with tears in his eyes, "it really is not worth it."

Strong turned on him in a blaze of anger. "How dare you say that to me," he demanded, "about the Princess Diana?"

The clouds which had been gathering throughout the afternoon now loomed black overhead. Under the branches of the willows it was almost pitch dark.

"I don't mean it in that way about Diana," said Langley. "You know I don't mean it in that way. I mean, old fellow, that I cannot afford to lose you. I can't spare you. I daren't let you go. The police have gone, it is true, but you know and I know well enough that the rhododendrons are not empty. We both saw those fellows come down this afternoon, and you have reason to dread them far more than you have reason to fear the police. That brute of a King of Balkania does not send for cut-throats of that sort without purpose. It would be madness to go back."

Strong, his anger passed, patted Langley on the head, as he might have done a child. "Cheer up, sonny?" he said. "Cheer up! Cheer up! For I am going back. I promised Di. I should be a laggard in love indeed if I did not keep my tryst."

"But you can't go back," said Langley, in a whisper, glancing about him in the darkness, as though every word he uttered were being recorded by invisible aides. "If you take the punt across to-night it's a thousand to one you'll stumble and they would knock you on the head from the bank, the blackguards! And then," he added, with a falter in his voice, "there would be that other grave."

CHAPTER XII.

A Dangerous Tryst.

"YOU chucklehead!" said Strong. "Do you think that I am running my head into a noose at any rate, do you think I am shoving it where it is likely to get a good hard knock? You must be a chump! I am not going by boat; I am going by water."

He turned sharp around to Langley in the gloom, and there was excitement in his face. From his pocket he drew a six-shooter and put into Langley's hands. "Remember," he said, "that your life and mine, and perhaps Diana's, will very shortly hang on this craft of ours; so you are here on sentry-go, my boy, and don't forget your duty. Meanwhile," and here he laughed a queer little laugh, "I am off to the tryst-ing-place.

"So long."

He hoisted his ponderous body gently over the side of the launch and dropped with the faintest splash into the river.

Without another word he began to swim quietly away. With affectionate, frightened and utterly dumfounded eyes Langley watched Strong's head bobbing through the black water—a little black patch that showed only just blacker than the black stream itself.

Strong trod the water and let the tide carry him down the stream. He was in no mind to land opposite the Bungalow, for there he would be received with the open arms of enmity. Therefore, he drifted down toward Maidenhead for three hundred yards or so. Then he landed, wrung the water out of his dripping canvas trousers and out of his shirt, pulled his belt one hole tighter and braced himself for his prowl back through the bushes to Mr. Jones's house.

First he walked straight away from the water, afterward making a detour round to the back of the house.

Somewhere close at hand a dog yapped; a voice cursed the animal. Again there was silence, and Strong threaded his way past the stables, and so came to the left wing of the low-built, straggling building.

Diana's room, he knew, was on the north side of the house. Beneath her window ran a path, bordered by a wide box hedge. Strong crept along the further side of the hedge until he came opposite to the light which he was seeking. He crept into the thickness of the hedge and lay down there for a little while, the myriads of little dry leaves among which he crouched drying the water from him.

A big veranda ran entirely around the house, the roof of it forming a balcony, which in its turn circled completely around the building. A Virginia creeper, trained from the ground to the roof, served as a link screen between the verandah and the balustrade of the balcony. From his hiding place in the box hedge Strong hooted feebly, like a young owl. Diana had hooted before, and he knew that Diana would understand.

The light went out, and presently his eyes, by this time accustomed to the dark, discerned Diana's face peering out hidden behind the tracery of the creeper.

Thrusting his head out of the hedge to look to the right and left, he gave a quick, comprehensive glance all over the face of the building. Everything was very still, and there was no sign of any movement.

He stepped quickly across the path and a wheelbarrow which he could by no means avoid, and so came to the foot of the verandah. Then, craning upwards, he called "Di!" so softly that his voice only just carried to the balcony above.

A rumpled head was thrust through the creepers, and on the gloom Strong caught a glint of Diana's white teeth bared in a wide smile.

"Hush!" she whispered from above him. "Listen!" said Strong, though there was no occasion to use the word. "Listen! I want to speak to you quickly on a matter which is urgent."

His tone was cold, almost dictatorial.

"Another lecture, I suppose," breathed Diana, "from the man who steals the earth! And there you are, conqueror of the universe and unable to reach your lady's bower." She laughed lightly, and again the dog by the stables yapped.

"You will see," said Strong, pulling a voluminous handkerchief from his pocket and running it about breast high around the pillar of the veranda. With the loose ends he made a loop; a second later he had shinned up and got his right foot firmly fixed in the loop. With a swift, silent jump, he was astride the balustrade. Gently he climbed over and drew near to Diana in the darkness.

"Who says that I cannot reach my lady's bower?" he asked.

"Yes," said Diana, "but not boldly or openly. I don't know that I want a knight who steals upon me like a thief."

The patter of the water dripping from Strong's clothes arrested her attention. She peered at him, and then put out her hand and touched him.

"Why, you are wringing wet," she said. "I know," said Strong; "I swam here.

"Surely, you know," continued Strong, "that your father's 'hired assassins,' or whatever particular name he calls his retainers by, arrived here this afternoon, and they are swarming in the garden now. Well, I am too young and life is too sweet for me to appreciate the feel of cold steel in my ribs."

Again Diana laughed, and the callousness of laughter at such a time wounded Strong not a little.

"It is rather funny," he said, "isn't it," with a tinge of bitterness in his voice that I must come here like a thief and run the risk of murder?"

But Diana only mocked him. "Surely," she taunted, "the man who steals the earth is not afraid of that?"

"Di! Di!" cried Strong, "let us stop this foolery and be serious. This is the beginning of serious things."

"For you or for me?" asked Diana.

"For both, dear; for both. I am in for it now up to the hilt, and therefore you are in it, too."

"So!" said Diana. She made a little curtsey.

Strong caught her head. "Am I not to be your knight?" he asked, "even if I steal you?"

"My dear boy," answered Diana, "you have got a great deal of theft to perpetrate first. There's the earth, you know."

"Yes, yes," said Strong. "All in good time. If Rome was not built in a day, you can't steal the earth in a day. I did steal it, would you—would you then stop laughing for once and marry me?"

"Well, yes," said Diana. "I think if you accomplished anything so colossal as that, I really would, and yet I don't see how—unless you propose to make papa abdicate or rob him of his kingdom and get yourself crowned in his place—that the match will be possible at all."

"What nice housewife all this is!" she continued. "Here you stand, talking of monarchs and kings and stealing the world and a few other small matters, as if such things were trifles to be got through between breakfast and lunch. Why, I haven't even seen that airship of yours yet, and unless it is wonderful indeed, all your pretty scheming must fall with a bump to the ground—like your airship, I should think."

Strong drew nearer to Diana in the darkness, as near as he dared on account of the vicinity of his clothes. He had it in his mind to cry out that his heart was very tender and very hungry, and that Diana's words hurt him beyond measure, but then his pride took hold of him, and forebore. It was, perhaps, well for him that he did so.

He changed his ground, and, failing in with Diana's mood, began to laugh himself. "Seeing is believing, I suppose," he said, "and therefore you shall see. I tell you what, Di, I tell you what—I will get back now, and then come back again, if you will wait. I will go back and fetch the ship, and if you will just stay here you shall behold new wonders of the situation and master of the air, hanging around your balcony like a species of aerial motor-omnibus."

"But it will be tricky work. It means dodging back through your father's men below and then another swim. But that will be nothing, for, upon my soul, when one's wet the Summer night is not so warm as one thinks it is." He shivered a little.

Diana was looking out across the garden. "If you are cold," she said, "it seems to me that there is a good-sized fire over there at which you will be able to warm yourself."

Strong followed her pointing hand, and from the other side of the river he saw rising a red, steady glare. Even as he looked long tongues of flame shot up above the lane.

"Good Lord!" he cried. "The devils! Oh, the devils!"

Diana had half a mind to rebuke him for his forgetfulness of her presence, but, beholding the amusement and the anger on his face, she remained silent. Then she asked, in a hard voice, as Strong still stared, fascinated by the blaze:

"Am I to suppose that this is my father's handiwork?"

"I'm afraid it is, my dear," said Strong. "I am very much afraid it is. In any case, it needs my immediate attention. Some pleasant persons is evidently trying to burn my bungalow down, or, at any rate, the shed."

"And the airship?" asked Di.

"The airship," said Strong. "Oh, that is safe enough for me to fulfil my promise of coming back to you. But this is where I cease love-making," he added, "and get to work. I will say au revoir!"

The prospect of the struggle across the water had brought back his good humor. He encased one of Diana's little hands in his own huge grasp, lifted her fingers to his lips and kissed them. Then he scrambled lightly over the balustrade and slid down the post. He was quite methodical, and did not forget to unloose the handkerchief which he had bound about the pillar of the veranda. When he had unloosed it he waved it lightly to Diana and plunged through the boxwood hedge.

A moment later, regardless of the many risks he might be running, he was racing down the path through the bushes toward the plaster Cupid, and so on to the river bank.

As he approached the clearing his quick eye, though he was running at top speed, caught a shifting shadow in the gap about the Cupid. It was a shadow that retreated suddenly and disappeared beyond a clump of bushes.

Strong therefore swerved to the right to give the retreated shadow as much space as he could. The way was narrow, but there was no other course open to him.

As he drew abreast of the opening in the bushes a figure leaped at him. Strong stopped in his flight, spun round, and stood square. The man, who was on him now, his head thrust out from his body, with an ugly snarl on his face, leaped back a step. Strong struck first with his left and then with his right hand, full and fair on either side of the man's jaw. He felt the flesh burst on his knuckles, but he had the gratification of hearing the man's teeth rattle and then noted that the assailant, with a yell of agony, fell back into the bushes.

Strong, mechanically rubbing the blood from his hand against his shirt, ran on to the river bank. On the edge of it stood two men staring across the water at the blaze.

Of them Strong took no heed, but jumped into the water and began to swim with a strong, steady breast stroke. Even in his haste he had the wisdom to choose this method of swimming, knowing that it left his body less exposed than if he were swimming with a side stroke. He suspected, and suspected rightly, that the men on the bank would recognise him and appreciate the reason for his swim, and would not be slow to stop him if they could.

He was right.

There came a crack from behind him, and something splashed the water beside his face. There was another crack, and the water splashed into his eyes. That time the mark had been overshot. Again there was a crack, and a third bullet went singing past his ears, and ploughing into the stream an inch or so before his face. sent up a splash that half blinded him.

Strong even then turned his head and laughed as he swam on. No more shots came, and he reckoned himself safe.

He climbed like an otter on to the further bank, and went bursting into the bungalow and out into the space behind it. As he had guessed it would be, the shed was enveloped in flame.

Langley, with a white face, was standing beside the water-butt swiftly bailing out pail after pail of water and dashing it frenziedly into the fire before him.

Strong, without a word, wrenched the bucket from his hand. "That's no good, my boy," he shouted. "Not the least good in the world. Let her burn—there's nothing in it now that matters. I suppose the 'Di' is all right?"

"Under the willows," said Langley.

"Then get back to her, you cuckoo, and sit tight, and, mark you, if men come treasuring at night in this country with intent to do your property any harm, they can't complain if they get hurt. You understand what I mean."

He smacked a hand on to Langley's hip and felt the outline of the six-shooter which still was there.

Langley nodded, and without more ado began to run along the bank towards the willows.

The heat from the burning shed was so fierce that Strong felt the scorch of it even where he stood, against the wall of the bungalow; but in spite of the heat he began to throw pail after pail of water against the sides and over the roof of the bungalow to prevent the little building becoming scorched.

He worked like a demon for five minutes, and then noted that the glare and the heat were less intense. The shed was burning out.

Two men came round the corner of the bungalow and surveyed the scene. By the light of the fire Strong could see that one of them was Mr. Jones. It was Mr. Montgomery Jones, perfectly cool and collected, even debonair, lightly polishing his glasses with the aid of a silk pocket handkerchief.

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How I Took My Wrinkles Out

After Facial Massage, Creams and Beauty Doctors Had Failed.

BY HARRIETT META.

Trouble, worry and ill health brought me deep lines and wrinkles. I realized that they not only greatly marred my appearance and made me look much older but that they would greatly interfere with my success, because a woman's success, either socially or financially, depends very largely on her appearance. The homely woman, with deep lines and furrows in her face, must fight an unequal battle with her young and better looking sister.

I therefore bought various brands of cold cream, put skin foods and massaged my face with constant regularity, hoping to regain my former appearance. But the wrinkles simply would not go. On the contrary they seemed to get deeper. So I went to a beauty specialist, who told me she could easily rid me of my wrinkles if I paid my money and took the treatment. Sometimes I thought they got less, but after spending all the money I could afford for such treatment, I found I still had my wrinkles. So I gave up in despair and resembled I must carry them to my grave. One day a friend of mine who has some interesting made a suggestion, and like [illegible] a new idea. I immediately sent to [illegible] masking experiments and studying [illegible] I could get hold of on this subject. After several long months of almost [illegible] and discouragement, I finally discovered a process which produced most astounding results in my wrinkles in a single facial. I was [illegible] beyond expression. I tried [illegible] and behold my wrinkles were practically gone. A third treatment [illegible] and I had no wrinkles and my face was as smooth as ever. I next offered my treatment to some of my immediate friends, who used it with surprising results, and I have now decided to offer it to the public. Miss Gladys Desmond, of Pittsburg, Pa., writes that it made her wrinkles disappear in one night. Mrs. M. W. Graves, of Bridgeport, Conn., states: "There is not a wrinkle left; my friends say I look 20 years younger. I consider your treatment a godsend to womankind." Mrs. James Barnes, of Central City, S. D., writes: "The change is so great that it seems more a work of magic." I will send further particulars to anyone who is interested absolutely free of charge. I use no cream, facial massage, face steaming or so-called skin foods, there is nothing to inject and nothing to injure the skin. It is an entirely new discovery of my own, and so simple that you can use it without the knowledge of your most intimate friends. You apply the treatment at night and go to bed. In the morning, lo! the wonderful transformation. People often write me, "It sounds too good to be true." Well, the test will tell. If interested in my discovery, please address Harriett Meta, Suite 3137, Syracuse, N. Y., and I will send full particulars.

In many ways they repeat the jumper frocks of last Summer, but this year's models show several new points. The draped piece or box plait running from over the hem, straight down the centre front, the newly acquired sleeves, the application of embroidered yokes or yokes of contrasting materials below the cut-out top, the more often used bell which usually ends on either side of the centre front—all these innovations mark the 1908 models.

Silks, voiles and light-weight woolen materials of all kinds are used in these dresses, but the models of linen are particularly attractive and show over glimpses of color or white lingerie ruffled and bandeaued bordered look suggestive of Summer days.

The touches of subdued or vivid colors and a are a feature of the [illegible] white gowns are seen on jumper dresses of white [illegible] linen. Shirtwaist suits and [illegible] dress [illegible] among exercise medicine.

An original use of braiding is shown on the [illegible] dress. The skirt is made in circular fashion, each gore being laid open over an underpiece of heavily braided linen with worked buttonholes on one side and white braid buttons on the other to suggest a closing. The main part of this dress has the braiding applied in a broad band in the square shape still so fashionable. A short-waisted effect is obtained by the length of the broken skirt line, which extends to just below the bust in front. The sleeves are cape like affairs, heavily braided and trimmed with the same style buttons as are used on the skirt.

While this particular gown was first [illegible] and afterwards enlarged here is a [illegible] suggestion for the use of [illegible] bordered materials which have [illegible] this season in such a charming [illegible].

Fine tucked bands of the material of [illegible] the gown is made and brilliantine colored oriental embroidery on filet net are used as trimming in the gown pictured [illegible] Here we have the popular [illegible] skirt with the waist attached under a rather wide belt. The sleeves are [illegible] with bands of the tucking and are [illegible] of very different effect by the overskirt [illegible] shown in the sketch [illegible].

Just [illegible] is a fad to fasten much [illegible] a appalling amount of cash [illegible] those necessary accessories [illegible] dear. No gems are too [illegible] thumbtacks too fine, to [illegible] and hand-es which go to further decorate parasols, which are in truth [illegible] art in beauty of silk and handiwork [illegible].

Handles [illegible] come in for a unusual amount of attention from the designers and [illegible] ones of [illegible] gold encrusted [illegible] and [illegible] of more precious [illegible] long row of pearl and [illegible] with ends in cool looking straight [illegible] red rubies, set sparse [illegible] some other [illegible] precious stones [illegible].

[illegible] with plumage of [illegible] from tips [illegible] parasols [illegible] wise looking black [illegible] eyes is supposed to [illegible] the owner of the parasol [illegible] Parasols [illegible] with [illegible] and [illegible] are [illegible] parasols [illegible] phanons, not heavy or [illegible], for braving the sun's strong rays [illegible] tercting shades while [illegible] cut into patterns and applied as a border on pongee silk, the handle of the parasol being also covered with the [illegible]. Parasols of mousseline de soie with satin striped borders are exquisitely [illegible] painted in designs of flowers and trailing vines.

The inside of the parasol is quite as important just now as the outside, and comes in for equally much decoration. For instance, it doesn't seem sufficient that the outside covering should be of almost price less lace. The under side must be a no less elaborate affair, showing frills of chiffon and a complicated network of narrow strands of rolled chiffon. A plain taffeta covered parasol will look most demure and unassuming furled, but let it be raised and you will find the under side a mass of pliese ruffles of chiffon, lace edged, as fine that they do not make any bulk and most flattering to the face in their softening effect.

All kinds of gold-balled swinging tassels are attached to parasol handles—and this is distinctly a 1908 roaster. Some of them are suggestive of the result of a school-girl's visit in West Point, for they look like nothing so much as the brass buttons of the cadets. Others have chic little taffeta bows, their ends tipped with gold tas-

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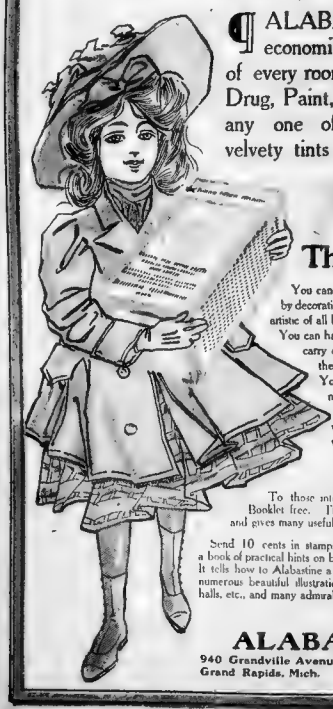

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YOU ARE BETTER? YESS? NO? VOT? DOT'S GREAT STUFF, DON'T IT?
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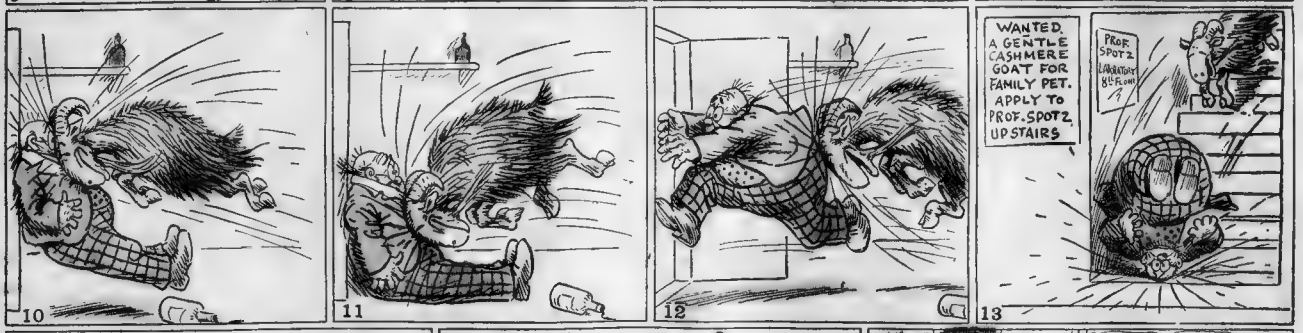

HELLUP! POLICE!
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YES, THEY LIVE ON THE SECOND FLOOR
ONE HAS A WOODEN LEG AND THE OTHER IS A CHINK
TELL DEM VE HAF BROUGHT DEM SOME PRESENTS

Number Four! Ain't It the Figreest You Ever Saw?

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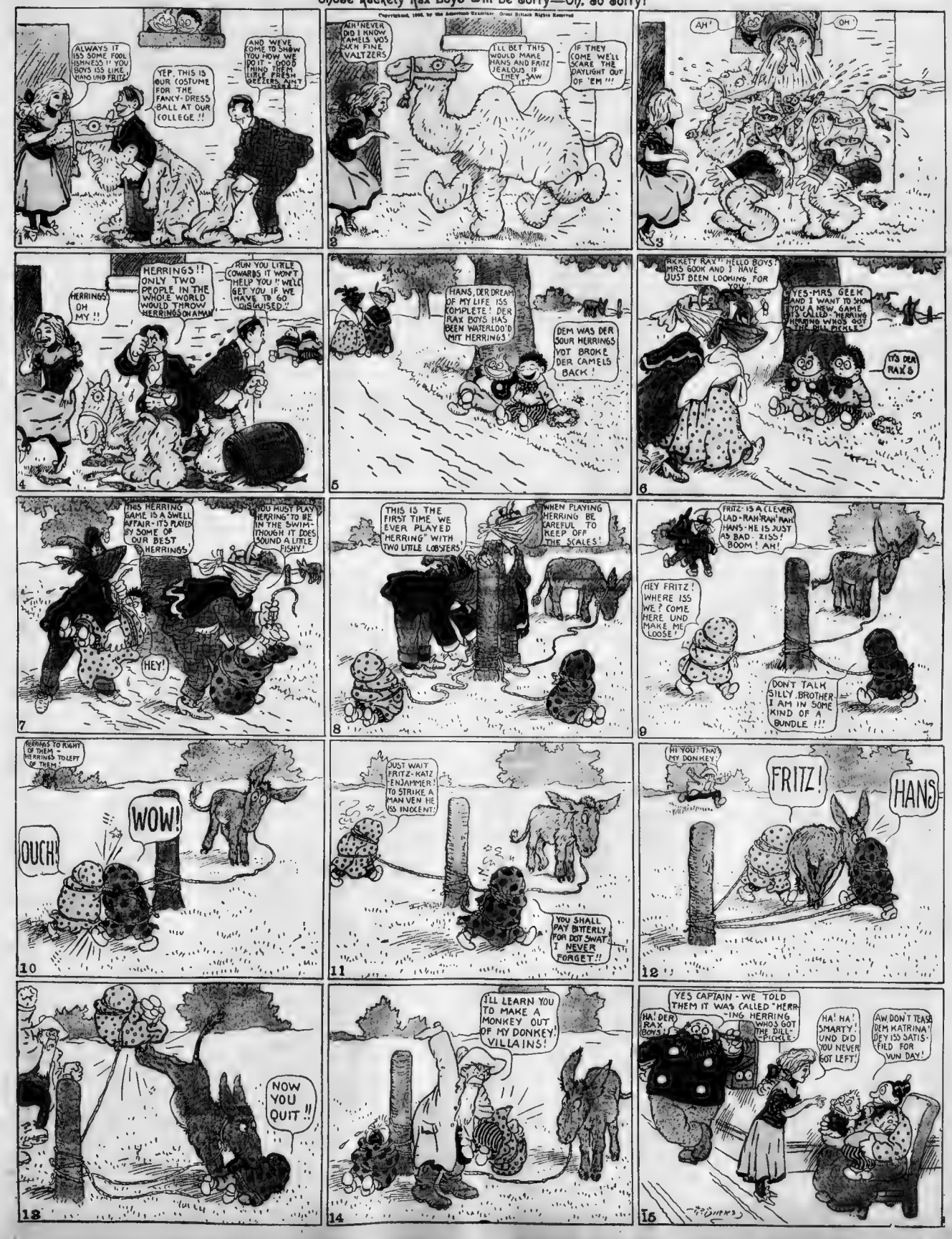
(WILL THERE BE MORE NEXT WEEK? SUREST THING YOU KNOW.)

Ha! Ha! (Also Haw! Haw!) They Get It! Ach, Yes! But Wait!

Those Rackety Rax Boys Will Be Sorry—Oh, So Sorry!


ALWAYS IT ISS SOME FOOL ISHNESS !! YOU BOYS ISS LIKE HANS UND FRITZ!
YEP, THIS IS OUR COSTUME FOR THE FANCY-DRESS BALL AT OUR COLLEGE !!
AND WE'VE COME TO SHOW YOU HOW WE DO IT - GOOD MIND THESE LITTLE FRESH GEEZERS AIN'T HERE !!
AH! NEVER DID I KNOW CAMELS VOS SUCH FINE VALTZERS
I'LL BET THIS WOULD MAKE HANS AND FRITZ JEALOUS IF THEY SAW IT!
IF THEY COME WE'LL SCARE THE DAYLIGHT OUT OF 'EM !!!
AH!
OH!
HERRINGS, OH MY !!
HERRINGS!! ONLY TWO PEOPLE IN THE WHOLE WORLD WOULD THROW HERRINGS ON A MAN
RUN YOU LITTLE COWARDS IT WON'T HELP YOU "WE'LL GET YOU IF WE HAVE TO GO DISGUISED."
HANS, DER DREAM OF MY LIFE ISS COMPLETE! DER RAX BOYS HAS BEEN WATERLOO'D MIT HERRINGS!
DEM WAS DER SOUR HERRINGS VOT BROKE DER CAMELS BACK!
RICKETY RAX!! "HELLO BOYS! MRS GOOK AND I HAVE JUST BEEN LOOKING FOR YOU"
YES-MRS GEEK AND I WANT TO SHOW YOU A NEW GAME IT'S CALLED "HERRING HERRING WHOS GOT THE DILL PICKLE"
IT'S DER RAX'S
THIS HERRING GAME IS A SWELL AFFAIR - IT'S PLAYED BY SOME OF OUR BEST HERRINGS!
YOU MUST PLAY HERRING" TO BE IN THE SWIM- THOUGH IT DOES SOUND A LITTLE FISHY!
HEY!
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME WE EVER PLAYED "HERRING" WITH TWO LITTLE LOBSTERS!
WHEN PLAYING HERRING BE CAREFUL TO KEEP OFF THE SCALES!
FRITZ- IS A CLEVER LAD - RAH RAH RAH! HANS - HE IS JUST AS BAD - ZISS! BOOM! AH!
HEY FRITZ! WHERE ISS WE? COME HERE UND MAKE ME LOOSE!
DON'T TALK SILLY. BROTHER I AM IN SOME KIND OF A BUNDLE !!!
HERRINGS TO RIGHT OF THEM - HERRINGS TO LEFT OF THEM!
OUCH!
WOW!
JUST WAIT FRITZ - KATZ ENJAMMER! TO STRIKE A MAN VEN HE ISS INOCENT!
YOU SHALL PAY BITTERLY FOR DOT SWAT I NEVER FORGET!!
HI YOU! THAT MY DONKEY!
FRITZ!
HANS
NOW YOU QUIT!!
I'LL LEARN YOU TO MAKE A MONKEY OUT OF MY DONKEY! VILLAINS!
YES CAPTAIN - WE TOLD THEM IT WAS CALLED "HERR-ING HERRING WHOS GOT THE DILL-PICKLE"
HA! DER RAX BOYS!
HA! HA! SMARTY! UND DID YOU NEVER GOT LEFT!
AW DON'T TEASE DEM MATRINA! DEY ISS SATIS-FIED FOR VUN DAY!
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Jimmy—He Goes to School—Again!

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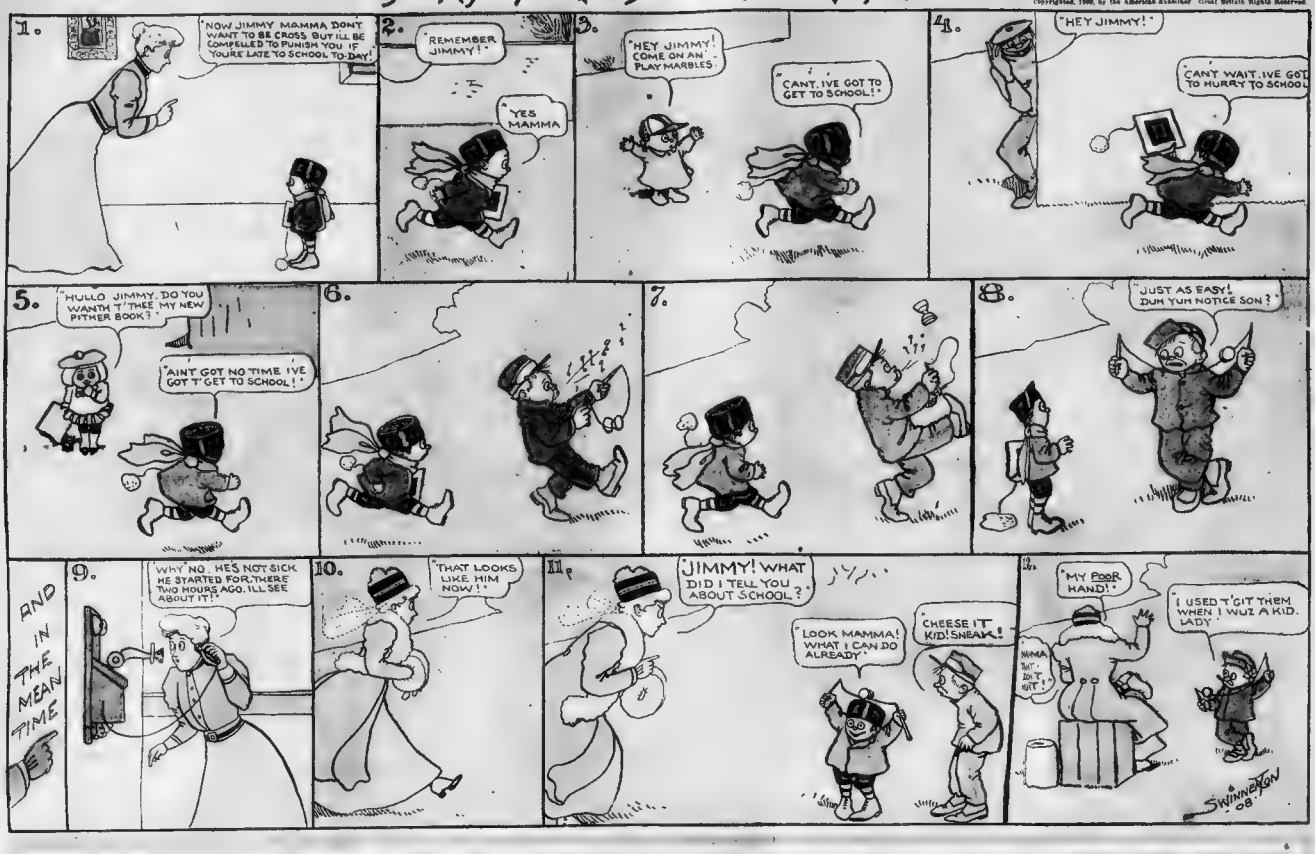
1.
NOW JIMMY MAMMA DONT WANT TO BE CROSS BUT ILL BE COMPELLED TO PUNISH YOU IF YOU'RE LATE TO SCHOOL TO DAY!
2.
REMEMBER JIMMY!
YES MAMMA
3.
"HEY JIMMY! COME ON AN' PLAY MARBLES"
"CANT, IVE GOT TO GET TO SCHOOL!"
4.
"HEY JIMMY!"
"CANT WAIT, IVE GOT TO HURRY TO SCHOOL"
5.
"HULLO JIMMY, DO YOU WANTH T' THEE MY NEW PITHER BOOK?"
"AINT GOT NO TIME IVE GOT T' GET TO SCHOOL!"
6.
7.
8.
"JUST AS EASY! DUM YUH NOTICE SON?"
AND IN THE MEAN TIME
9.
WHY NO, HES NOT SICK HE STARTED FOR THERE TWO HOURS AGO. ILL SEE ABOUT IT!
10.
"THAT LOOKS LIKE HIM NOW!"
11.
JIMMY! WHAT DID I TELL YOU ABOUT SCHOOL?
"LOOK MAMMA! WHAT I CAN DO ALREADY"
"CHEESE IT KID! SNEAK!"
12.
"MY POOR HAND!"
"I USED T' GIT THEM WHEN I WUZ A KID, LADY"
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The Most Popular Amusement in the World for Girls and Boys, The

TO BOYS AND GIRLS
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You will agree with me that it is positively the most wonderful offer ever given the Girls and Boys of America

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The MERRY-GO-ROUND is made in the most substantial manner, of high-grade malleable iron and selected spruce timber. It is seven feet wide and carries three passengers, from little tots up to big girls and boys. It is built to last, and will stand all kinds of hard knocks. In fact, it is a REAL MERRY-GO-ROUND, only smaller than the big machines which you see at public resorts. It is artistically painted and finely finished and ready to be used on the lawn. The children operate it themselves. There is no danger whatever, and there is nothing to get out of order.

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Night's Mysterious Realm

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The Earth Sleeps, the Heavens Are Awake, Their Eyes, the Distant Suns, Are Blazing. What We Call Night Is THE COSMIC DAY, the Universal Day That Never Ends

THE heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament showeth His handiwork.

Day unto day uttereth speech, and night unto night showeth KNOWLEDGE.

Psalms, xix., I.

Human beings do not KNOW the night. Our lives have been daylight lives. Thinking man has been on this earth thirty thousand years at least, probably a hundred thousand years, perhaps more. All those long years were years in which night conquered day absolutely, until within very recent times. Kerosene oil, gas, electricity and other conquerors of darkness are the creations of our day. They were not known to the ancients, not even to the ancients of yesterday.

All through the long centuries men have shut their eyes when the great sun shut off his light. They have remained still in one spot. They must do that or stumble. Only here and there a few shepherds protecting flocks, a few thinkers and students defying darkness with the aid of some feeble light, have watched the night and made its acquaintance.

We do not KNOW the night, its mysteries, its wonders. In a great city of human beings millions go back and forth at night for amusement or work. How many in those millions lift their eyes above the gas jets and the electric lights to the real universe that is spread out above and around this little rolling ball of earth

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Day is for action and night is for thought. And the time will come undoubtedly when man, more highly developed and knowing himself, will conquer sleep and no longer give up one-third of his life to unconsciousness, no longer waste the wonderful night hours when the blazing suns and our neighbor planets and all the eyes of the heavens are open for his study.

There are animals that sleep all the Winter—bears, toads and turtles. They do that BECAUSE THEY MUST. They have formed the habit through compulsion. Man has slept through the night because he HAD to. And his system demands the long sleep and the waste of time because of powerful HABIT. But man will conquer that. The ants, marvellous little insects, telling us, if we only could understand them, what wonders we can accomplish, have overcome sleep.

Those wonderful geniuses of the insect world, small as the tip of your fingernail, actually prolong their working lives seven and eight years, and even more, without sleeping—every second belongs to them.

Man will do that eventually. And his mind, his reverence for divine power and kindness, will feed in the daytime upon the material beauties and comforts of our earth, upon the glory of our sun, and at night upon the infinitely greater marvels of the infinite, unfathomable, overwhelming universe, in which our solar system is a molecule, our planet an atom and ourselves the component, thinking electrons of the atom.

There are two lobes to the brain in your head. ONE would be enough for the sort of life we lead now. One lobe of the brain and nine-tenths of the entire brain substance inside your skull lie idle—are used scarcely at all. The full life of night and of day will give work and occupation to both halves of the brain and to the deep, unused brain below the cortex.

We know now that one side of the brain controls speech, the other controls other functions. Haeckel long ago suggested that man might advantageously learn to use one eye for the telescope that studies the infinite and the other eye for the microscope that studies the finite. Man not human beings developing into fully rounded creatures and learn that those two lobes of the brain were given one for contemplation of the night and one for the day, for the study of the earthly finite and the cosmic infinite.

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Fanciful, foolish talk, you may say. Perhaps so. But are we not conquering this little earth in a fanciful, foolish way? Do we not bore through it, and under its waters, fly through its air, talk to each other in audible tones a thousand miles apart, flash messages across its oceans without wires, IN WHAT WOULD HAVE SEEMED A FOOLISH AND FANCIFUL WAY A HUNDRED YEARS AGO?

Study the night, study the stars, keep some of the night hours for thinking which demands solitude and quiet.

Through all these centuries the nights of men have been wasted.

His picture tells the story of night as spent by men without appreciation. It has been the time of murders, of false pleasures. It has been the time of weary watching by patient, neglected women. It has been the time of noble research by a few of the world's great minds.

To the vast majority of human beings it has been A BLANK TIME, A TIME WASTED, CUT OUT OF THEIR LIVES.

One man expressed beautifully the mystery of night, its sorrowful hidden pictures below, the majestic beauty above. And we republish here some of his words, as beautiful as any you have ever read; the words that Carlyle put into the mouth of his strange genius, Teufelsdroeckh, bowing out over the sleeping city from his high tower:

"Ach, mein Lieber!" said he once, at mid night, when we had returned from the coffee house in rather earnest talk, "it is a true sublimity to dwell here. These fringes of lamplight, struggling up through smoke and thou sandfold exhalation, some fathoms into the ancient reign of Night, what thinks Bootes of them, as he leads his hunting-dogs over the zenith in their leash of sidereal fire?

"That stifled hum of midnight when traffic has lain down to rest; and the chariot-wheels of Vanity, still rolling here and there through distant streets, are bearing her to halls roofed in, and lighted to the due pitch for her; and only Vice and Misery, to prowl or to moan like nightbirds, are abroad; that hum, I say, like the stertorous, unquiet slumber of sick Life, is heard in Heaven!

"Oh, under that hideous coverlet of vapors, and putrefactions, and unimaginable gases, what a fermenting-vat lies shimmering and hid!

"The joyful and the sorrowful are there; men are dying there; men are being born; men are praying—on the other side of a brick partition men are cursing; and around them all is the vast, void Night.

"The proud Grandee still lingers in his perfumed saloons, or reposes within damask curtains; Wretchedness cowers into truckle-beds, or shivers hunger-stricken into its lair of straw; in obscure cellars, *Rouget-Noir* languidly emits its voice-of-destiny to haggard hungry Villains; while Councillors of State sit plotting, and playing their high chess-game, whereof the pawns are Men. The Lover whispers his mistress that the coach is ready; and she, full of hope and fear, glides down, to fly with him over the borders; the Thief, still more silently, sets-to his picklocks and crowbars, or lurks in wait till the watchmen first snore in their boxes.

"Gay mansions, with supper-rooms and dancing-rooms, are full of light and music and high-swelling hearts; but in the Condemned Cells the pulse of life beats tremulous and faint, and bloodshot eyes look out through the darkness, which is around and within, for the light of a stern last morning. Six men are to be hanged on the morrow: comes no hammering from the *Rabenstein*!—their gallows must even now be a-building.

"Upwards of five hundred thousand two-legged animals without feathers lie around us, in horizontal positions; their heads all in night-caps, and full of the foolishest dreams. Riot cries aloud, and staggers and swaggers in his rank dens of shame; and the Mother, with streaming hair, kneels over her pallid dying infant, whose cracked lips only her tears now moisten. All these heaped and huddled together, with nothing but a little carpentry and masonry between them—crammed in, like salted fish in their barrel; or weltering, shall I say, like an Egyptian pitcher of tamed vipers, each struggling to get his *head above* the others: *such* work goes on under that smoke-counterpane!—but I, *mein werther*, sit above it all; I am alone with the Stars."

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What would the average man not give for twenty years of active thinking ahead of his life? For ages every man has wasted twenty beautiful NIGHT years.

Study night, which is the real day of the universe, the great, silent, inconceivable, beautiful, universal background whence the eyes of the suns look out in grandeur and beauty.

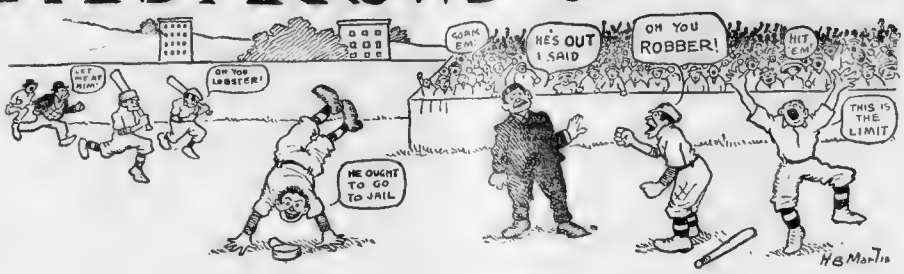
SLINGS AND ARROWS by James J. Montague.

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

DOROTHY .....A Girl
JACK .....A Young Man
An Umpire.
Fans, Players, Coaches, Etc.

CHORUS OF FANS.

Kill a[illegible]
Boot him [illegible]
Bum [illegible]
Of all [illegible]



DOROTHY—Oh! Are they really going to kill the poor man?

JACK—Why, they are——

CHORUS OF FANS.

Beat him, [illegible] him, push him, send him to the chair.
Get an umpire in de game that [illegible]
Say! De club would like to rob us out'n all our chance!
Slash him, smash him, blankety dash him; ain't de lobster dare?

DOROTHY—Oh! They are really going to kill him! Oh! Oh!

JACK—No, they won't kill him—yet. They never do before the first inning.

DOROTHY—Do they always—then?

JACK—No. I've known 'em to wait till the ninth. He sometimes he gets away.

DOROTHY—Don't you think we ought to warn him, Jack? Oh! I knew this was a brutal game.

JACK—That's what it is! It's brutal robbery. Look at that! Ryan was safe as a rich malefactor on second. Now, see what he says.

UMPIRE—OUT ON S S S E-oud'

JACK—The thug! The thief! Oh! Let me get at him!

DOROTHY—Jack!

JACK—Pardon me, dear, I forgot. If you understood the game you'd know how I feel.

DOROTHY—But, how can I understand it when you join this perfectly fiendish cry for the death of the, the—vampire, do they call him?

JACK—They don't, but they ought to. By George, Dorothy, you'd make a bully fan!

DOROTHY—Why, I never did such a thing in my life—anyway, not since I was a little girl, when I used to make them out of tissue paper.

JACK—What?

DOROTHY—Fans; wasn't that what you said?

JACK—Oh, fans, yes. Look at that! Rotten!

DOROTHY—Jack, dear, please control yourself. I know something dreadful is going to happen, and I don't want you to die with oaths on your lips.

JACK—But, I didn't swear, Dorothy!

DOROTHY—Yes, you did! You said "rotten." And the way you said "look at that" was swearing—just low, vulgar swearing.

JACK—Ha! Here comes our greatest hope!

DOROTHY—That sounds like a cooking school. Who's got it? Is it in the pail that perfectly comical boy is carrying?

JACK—Is what in the pail?

DOROTHY—The batter.

JACK—Listen, Dorothy. The man with the bat——

DOROTHY—There, you are using more of that disreputable slang. If the man is intoxicated why don't you say so, and not speak of "the man with the bat" in that horrid way.

JACK—But he has got a bat. It's that club he's carrying.

DOROTHY—Oh, is that our club?

JACK—No, silly, it's his club.

DOROTHY—You're horrid. I wish you'd explain the game to me.

CHORUS OF FANS.

In just about a minute
We'll come off of dis here bleachers
An' take a bunch of paving stone
An' smash dat umpire's features.'

DOROTHY—Oh, hear that terrible threats! Are they going to do it?

JACK—No of course not. See that man running in first?

DOROTHY—I see a man running, but——

JACK—Great! Bully! Look, he's gone down to second, he's stolen third and now he's coming home!

DOROTHY—Why, Jack, then he's a thief!

JACK—Oh, no, he isn't a thief. The umpire's the thief!

DOROTHY—But, you said he'd stolen something!

JACK—He did. He stole third, and now he's got home.

DOROTHY—Well, I confess I don't understand this game. If he's stolen third I shouldn't think he'd *dare* go home.

JACK—Dorothy, if you will wait till the end of this inning——

DOROTHY—What is an inning?

JACK—Why—why, an inning is an inning. It's when our side is in.

DOROTHY—But the umpire said they were out.

JACK—No, he didn't—not yet, at least. He would if he dared!

CHORUS OF FANS.

Here's ten men against us.
But de game is won'
For Healy's gone de t'ree bags 'round
For one home run.'

DOROTHY—They seem to be better natured now, anyway. Perhaps they won't kill the umpire.

JACK—If they don't, I will. The cur!

DOROTHY—Who is that nice looking young man with his left leg up in the air all the time?

JACK—The pitcher.

DOROTHY—The picture?

JACK—*The pitcher.* He pitches.

DOROTHY—What does he pitch?

JACK—Why, the ball, of course.

DOROTHY—Oh! Is there a ball?

JACK—Of course, there's a ball. See, he's pitching it now.

DOROTHY—Well, if I couldn't throw better than that!

JACK—Humph! That was a bully throw. Did you see the batter fan?

DOROTHY—I saw him try to dodge it, but the pitcher couldn't hit him!

JACK—He wasn't trying to hit him; he was trying to strike him!

DOROTHY—See here, Jack Ransome, I will not be imposed upon. How could he strike him if he didn't hit him?

JACK—Oh! Dorothy, didn't I tell you you would never understand this game?

DOROTHY—I wish I hadn't come to the hateful place. I've heard more awful oaths and curses since I've been here than here are in a modern society play. I'm going home!

JACK—But, Dorothy, not now. We're winning. Don't you see we've got them over a barrel!

DOROTHY—No, I don't see anything of the kind, and I wouldn't look at such a thing if I could see it. Talk about college hazing!

CHORUS OF FANS.

It's a great! Gosh, it's great! Say, it's Great! Great! Great!
We win out!
We win out!
We won, six to eight!

JACK—That's right. That run made it. They don't need to play the last half of the inning. We win! Dorothy, we win!

DOROTHY—I think blue would be better!

JACK—Blue, what do you mean!

DOROTHY—With a little green on it, and perhaps a couple of canary yellow birds.

JACK—Dorothy, what *are* you talking about? We WIN!

DOROTHY—Win? Win what?

JACK—The game! Six to eight!

DOROTHY—Oh, the game. I'd forgotten it. Jack, do you think green would be better on my new hat than blue, or would you rather have purple poppies if it was for you?

"NO, THEY WON'T KILL HIM—YET. THEY NEVER DO BEFORE THE FIRST INNING."

"SEE HERE, JACK RANSOME, I WILL NOT BE IMPOSED UPON. HOW COULD HE STRIKE HIM IF HE DIDN'T HIT HIM?"

The Seven Wise Women by Dorothy Dix

The Seven Wise Women spoke as One Woman when they put their foot down that every Woman who got Gay with Paint should be Barred from the Altar and sits down and calmly looks at what she has Got, gets the Surprise of her Life. She thought that she had picked out a Noble and Heroic Being, who was a little God before whom she would always stand in Awe and Reverence, and she finds out that she has merely tied up with an ordinary Individual, who [illegible] Parties and Always Comes Home for Soft Soap if she is to get along with him in Peace, it gives her a Jar that Loosens her Back Teeth.

"Now, I am not Knocking Men. A Husband is a mighty handy thing to have around the House, especially about the First of the Month, when Bills become due. [illegible] Woman [illegible] Nerves.

At [illegible] my Peregrinations in this Vale of Tears I have met a Person who was Always Right, and I Bless Heaven for its Mercy that I was not Married to [illegible] I had been it would have been a case of Get-away to the Divorce [illegible]

But I [illegible] Wise Women from the Bottom of My Heart for what I was not Wise that I Did Not Know was Vanity.

"For I said I to myself, 'It isn't Exactly what I looked for in one whom I expected to Worship, but it might have been Worse. At any rate, it is where I Get Busy. I was not Born Yesterday, and I have got Something on my Mind besides my Marcel Pompadour. A Craving for Admiration is like a Hankering for Drink. It has got to be Satisfied Somewhere, and if a Man does not get it at Home he will find it Abroad.

"'I do not Intend to be like Mamie south, who let a Fat Lady of Forty-five take her Husband away from her, nor like Susie Jones, whose Husband has to go to the Club when he wants to Hold-up anybody and tell them a Joke.

"'I am aware that when a man is Good Looking and possessed of a Sufficiency of the Long Green, as my Husband is, that his Wife has to be Up and Doing if she is to Hold her Own, but anybody who Appears Mine sure will have to be an Artist.'

"So I kept my Weather Eye Peeled, and whenever I would perceive that a Peroxided Lady was Fanning him with Hot Air about being Handsome I did not, as many Foolish Wives do, get on my Ear, and say that I would not Stand for Such Conduct, and that the other woman was No Better than she Ought to Be. On the contrary, I would Hand her a Few Choice Compliments Myself about being a Woman of Artistic Taste, but then I would File an Exception to her Judgment.

"'I think that she was mistaken,' I would say, 'in saying that you looked just exactly like a Gibson Man and a Richard Harding Davis Hero, for while they are Good Lookers all right, they have not your Greek Profile and the Intellectual Expression that You Possess. I do not see how anybody could Fail to observe that you are the living Image of the Statue of Apollo Belvidere. You have Just Exactly the same Perfect Proportions pervaded by the same Soul of Beauty.'

"At these words he would faintly demur and say that he Feared that I Exaggerated a Trifle, and I would reply Not at all, and add Another Chapter or two of Judicious Praise of his Personal Appearance to such good effect that when I got through he felt as if the Other Woman had been Batting Him and he Never cared to go about her Again.

"In the same way I Doubled-Discussed the Hand of Cheerful Workers. When I perceive a Female Gazing with Rapt Eyes in my Husband's face and murmuring, 'How perfectly wonderful! How brave and strong you are! Did you really get up in the Dark and go downstairs Alone to see if there was a Burglar in the Dining Room?' I do not explain Before Everybody that it was Nothing but the Cat, Nixie. Not Me. I wait until the Lady has Exhausted all of her Small Shot, and then I Fire a Forty-Pounder

"'You really Don't Appreciate, my Dear Miss De Simpkins,' I observe sweetly, 'how Very Heroic my Husband's conduct was, for we did not know but what a Band of Armed Thugs, Desperate and Ready to Shed Blood, were waiting in Ambush for him, and it was simply Foolhardy Courage for him to Attempt Single-Handed and Alone to Attack them, but all of my Tears and Prayers were Powerless to Prevent His Undertaking the Daring Deed.'

"And as I offer my little Tribute of Praise my Husband's Chest swells out until I can hear his Shirt Studs give way under the strain, and where, then, is Miss De Simpkins? Oh, where is she? He can't see her with a Telescope.

"Nor am I one of the Feeble-Minded Wives who sit up with the Expression of an Early Christian Martyr, undergoing the third Degree of Torture, while her Husband tells a Funny Story. I should Judge, on a Conservative Estimate, that I have heard all of my Husband's Good Ones 4,957,648 times, and in consequence thereof they are not as Fresh to me as they Might Be, but I greet Each every time with a Laugh that is so Natural that he has never Suspected that I am not Tickled to Death.

"When any Foxy Dame has given him the Glad Hand with Unusual Fervor I casually Remark:

"'It is almost a Pity that my Husband's Father left him So Much Money, for if he had Gone on the Stage he would have made the Greatest Comedian of the Century. Mr. Frohman and Belasco are Always after him. I think myself that I have Never seen Anyone who Approached him as a Raconteur. His Wit is so Subtle and his Pathos so Unforced and Heart-Wrenching.'

"'Tut, tut, my Dear,' my Husband responds upon such Occasions, 'your Affection makes you Exaggerate my Small Talent.' But I Notice that when the Company is gone he is not Really Vexed with me, and that he Generally says that if I Really want that Imported Gown that I was talking about I had better go and buy it tomorrow before Somebody else Snaps it up.

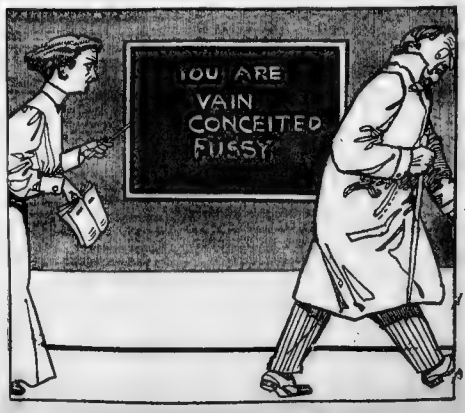
"In the same manner I Listen to his Opinion with Bated Breath, and if I happen to Know Better upon any Subject, I keep my Exclusive Information to myself, for I hold that the woman who Corrects her Husband's Grammar, and Sets him Right when he says that Hughes was born in South Carolina, or that Roosevelt belongs to the Society for the Prevention of Killing Wild Animals, is such a Three-Ply Idiot that she Deserves to lose out. She only gets what is coming to her when her Husband passes up a School Mistress for a Jollier. Nor do I blame the Man, for it sure would Grouch me to have to spend my days Toiling to Support a Candid Critic who felt it her Sacred Duty to point out my Faults to me.

"By the simple Expedient of Always pushing the Velvet and having a more Liberal Supply of the Salve, to apply than any one else I have Managed to be Happy though Married, and I have kept my Husband Nailed to his own Fireside, for by the side of my Compliments all other women's Flattery seems as Flat as Beer after Champagne, and everyone else appears Cold and Unappreciating. I apprehend that my Case of the Husband who has a Sweet Tooth is not the Only One, and that many a Man goes away from Home in order to hear a few Kind Words and to get someone to Listen to Him."

DOROTHY DIX

"SHE GETS THE SURPRISE OF HER LIFE."

"I GREET THEM EVERYTIME WITH A LAUGH."



"SHE ONLY GETS WHAT IS COMING TO HER WHEN HER HUSBAND PASSES UP A SCHOOL MISTRESS FOR A JOLLIER."

Dinkelspiel on the Foibles of a Father

by George V. Hobart

Home. Lately.

MEIN LIEBER LOOEY—Vs haf received your letter from Skeattle und ve vas glat to heerd it dot your healt' is making you pleasant company, yet.

Ve vas all veil at home mit der eggsception dot your mother gafe a leedle dinner last efening to some of der neighbors vich infest dis wicinity und much conversationling changed ears.

Among dose present und eating eggstensifly vas Herman Splevin und wife, also Gust Bauerhaupt und mother, und Rudolph Pfuff, der Napoleon of der canned vegetable trade in der Bureau of der Bronx

After der dinner Pfuff und I ve sat together smoking a cubbie of my own personal seegars because, Looey, I defer like to took a chance and let vun of our visitors smoke his own seegar in my house vare politeness forbids me to open der vindows or chump on him und by brute force removf der insulting veed from his face.

I could notice it py der vay Pfuff nervoused himself dot someding was playing hide und seek in his mind, so I asked him vot vas der matter, yet

"It is my daughter, Gretchen," he responsed: "she is yust come home from der Young Ladies' Summernary to visit mit us vile she is spending der Easter holidays, aitretty."

"Veil," I set, "such is a nice idea because vot is home mitould a family?"

"IN DEIR HEARTS DER FODDERS VAS TICKLED ALMOST SENSELESS VEN DER DAUGHTER GETS UP ON DE PARLOR FLOOR BEFORE DER SUNDAY COMPANY UND RECITES IT."

"It ain't because Gretchen has came home dot I got a vorriment," set Pfuff, taking vee leedle puls at der seegar so he is eckonomical mit der smoke; "it is because she declares und eggsists dot hereafter I must call her name Gasoline!"

"Ja! dot is it, Gwendoline' but sy is der occasion for such?" he shouted "Ain't Gretchen yust so good as Gasaline or Kerosene or votefer is it? Vy should I in der oil age of my youth be compulsioned to consult mit a memorandom book to get der right name before I can call my daughter to hand me a match" Haf I got to go through dis wale of tears for der rest of my life mit a blue string tied on my bredio finger so I can remembrance dot my daughter's front name ain'd her name now because she has removfed her front name to make room for a name vich I doan'd recoilection""

"Veil, Gwendoline is a predsy name," I set, so allsigh "I know a case vich has much singularity to yours, Pfuff. It vas a oil college champ of mine py der name of Mike Clancy vich hat a daughter py der name of Bridget, und ven Mike made a me bunch of money by owning a oodle piece of property in der Bureau of Brooklyn vast vare vun of der tunnels happened to come up to get her air decisioned dot Bridget must go to a private school vare she could learn to be a young lady of refinery, so avay she goes to a Young Ladies' Summernary ofer in Pencilvania vare der Penns come from. In about t ree veeks time Bridget is home for der Thanksgilling holidays und she says to Mike 'Fodder, I doan'd like me name und der udder girls d'ain'd like me name, now vot vould you such beat'" says she. "I vould suchehest der stove lifter in oultvard applications.'

"Der fodder says he, und Bridget goes back to school. In ainudder two veeks she is back home for der Christmas holidays und she says to Mike, 'Fodder, me name is unpleasant to der ear und all der udder girls eggspress deir opinion dot me name is unpleasant to der ear, vot can you recommendation" says she, 'I can recommendation dot you hurry back to school vile dere is someding left to fasten a name to,' set her fodder, says he, und she hurried back to school In ainoild t'ree veeks she is home for der Easter holidays und she says mit a linkval chesture, 'Fodder, me name is so pleasin dot efen der hot pellol haf got her knoch on me und I vould petition you to permission me to change it,' says she 'Back to der knowledge factory,' says her fodder 'back und send hol pellol to me und I vill change der geography of his face!' says he, und she goes back to school In two veeks she is home for der mid-summer holidays, und says she, 'Paw,' says she, 'by your leaf' says she 'I haf changed my name' says she 'it vas too bourgeoise for any use' says she 'und hereafter I am called Beatrice by me friends und ackvaintances,' says she Mike Clancy gafe her vun long look, den he nefer stopped running till he reached der nearest saloon, und from dose days to dese he has been a changed man"

Pfuff sighed deepfully und asked me for annuder seegar

"I see, I see" he vent on after lighting it "my daughter, Gretchen, has been studying electrocution, und all der day long she is making faces at herself und saying "Corkscrew Shall Not Ring To-night.' I could bear der blow vot she calls herself Phenacetine, but I doan'd vant no play actor vimmens in my family—I doan'd vant it' no! mit dis he smashed his fist mit der table

"Electrocution is vun of der great evils of der day." I vispered back at him. "Ven a man sends his daughter to a private school he takes der same chances should electrocution dot he goes mit der measles und malaria. Sometimes der electrocution cherm bites dem, sometimes it doan'd. Medicine doan'd do no good. Ven she gets it yust buy her a bunch of recitation books und let her disease run its course. Close der vindows und act like he vas of der par- Keep shuffling it avay I vas's lat

t poems at her through der transom und eggsplain der trouble to der policeman on your beat—dot is as far as human ingen- uity can go"

"Veil," set Pfuff, "I vill go home und get der coal shuffle, und if Gretchen puts at no nut a veil look in her eyes und says, 'I am dying, Fayat, dying!' I vill make some pay- ments abould der place right avay, quick yet!"

But I bet you he doan'd, Looey. All der time dot he is complaining abould Gretchen he is delighted dot she is so preceachful All fodders is alike, Looey. They pretension dey vant deir daughters to be shy und timid und retireful, like a clam, but in deir hearts der fodders vas tickled almost senseless ven der daughter gets up on der parlor floor before de Sunday company und recites it.

Den ould spark brave Horatius,
"I d'aind it his vife's der stake;
For der bank checks of your fodders,
For der I. O. U's you make,
I, mit vun more to help me,
Am on der chob you see!"
Now, who vil stand on either hand
Und play britch viet mit me?"
Yours mit luff
D. DINKELSPIEL.
Per George V. Hobart.

Our Need of Anti-Affinity Clubs

by Ella Wheeler Wilcox

SOMETHING less than a year ago a man died. Death cheated the divorce court of one more scandal, and a deserted wife and troubled children, old enough to feel the humiliation of the situation, were saved the shame of seeing columns of personal details relating to their parents' unhappiness published in the daily press. The simple obituary announcing the man's death was less painful reading. Divorce proceedings had been instituted, and a young woman "affinity" was named as co-respondent.

But before the case came to trial the man died.

It is said that the young woman bears the look of one stricken with deep sorrow. She really loved the man

During the time when she knew that she was named as the co-respondent in the case she showed no evidence of suffering; indeed, there was triumph and satisfaction in her demeanor, and she made no disguise of the fact that she expected to be the happy wife of another woman's husband as soon as the divorce was obtained.

To-day she feels herself one cruelly treated by fate, and she wonders what she has done that life should be rendered so desolate and barren. I do not know the wife of the dead man; I never saw the man himself. It is possible that the wife drove her husband to disloyalty; many good women do drive their husbands from them by a thousand and one petty and unbearable acts, which are impossible to enumerate or classify. They are like mosquitoes or flies which spoil one's rest.

Entering such a home, you see beautiful draperies and comfortable beds and softly tinted walls, and you think how restful it all is, but when you try to rest the insects drive you out of the room in a rage. Just so, many wives are beautiful, cultured, soft-voiced, models of chastity and economy and other Christian virtues, and you think what a lucky man is he who calls this woman wife.

But try living in the same house with her for one month, and you will fly forth out into the street, to the club, to the hotel, anywhere to escape the maddening buzz of the fly and the stab of the mosquito.

Yet does this fact justify a self-respecting young woman for accepting the lover-like addresses of the disillusioned husband"

However sympathetic she may find him, it is in her power to PREVENT an infatuation before it engulfs them both.

If she possesses any ideals of high womanhood, she can maintain them and turn her would-be lover into a nobler man, a man who will realize his obligation to the woman he has selected for a wife, and who will either go back to her with a resolve to make the best of his self-imposed martyrdom, or else to quietly and calmly arrange for the support and maintenance of his wife apart from him

There is scarcely one attractive young woman grown into the twenties unmarried who has not been the recipient of some man's confidences about his domestic troubles.

It speaks well for our young women that so small a percentage of them have separated husbands and wives. Hundreds of sensible and good girls have talked such husbands into a reasoning frame of mind and aroused in them an ambition to be braver men and to accept the situation with philosophy.

It is, curiously enough, almost universally the man of wealth who finds his affinity ready to act as understudy in the play where the wife has missed her role.

I do not believe it is incumbent upon a man to live with a wife who makes his home a hell upon earth. But it is a curious fact that scores of men live for decades of time with wives who seem perfectly satisfactory to them as comrades until they encounter a younger woman, who appears in the guise of a soul-mate. And immediately the wife of the man's youth, according to his story, develops impossible characteristics. And he is certain that to do his best as a man and a citizen he must possess the soul-mate.

Yet if we look over the records of history we will find some of its greatest men achieved their highest work through sorrows, disappointments and suffering of soul.

I do not believe the great Creative Power ever meant a man to reach his best development through any act that brings suffering to those who make his nearest duties and obligations, his wife and children

This sort of justification for an entanglement is growing tiresome. It would seem far more manly for the obsessed husband to say, "I am weak and cannot resist this infatuation; self-indulgence is more to me than the happiness of my family or the respect of my fellows."

Then at least one could be sorry for him, as for any other invalid.

When a woman says, "It was fate; this man came into my life, and there was no escaping the results; it was destiny," she ignores the great truth that IN OUR OWN SELVES LIES DESTINY.

We can be what we will be.

There is always the first moment of consciousness between a married man and the other woman when the danger point is reached, and it is always in the woman's power to turn away from the path wherein he would lead her. But the love of power, the vanity which loves to be flattered, the lack of consideration for others and, in most cases, the worship of money, all combine to create the increasing horde of affinities which are disintegrating our society to-day.

SELFISHNESS IS THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL.

And what selfishness is more undisguised than that of the woman who brings sorrow and humiliation into the lives of innocent children through a public scandal?

One may believe that the wife was in fault for losing her husband's love; a wife is always more or less in fault for such a disaster, but would not a man reach a higher plane of development who stopped to consider his obligation as a father, and who resisted a fascination that meant a broken household, than he would attain by yielding to it?

One half the mental concentration, will power and determination used by a man in an effort to free himself from the wife who has ceased to be a companion to him would restore his lost domestic happiness if he applied these powers to that purpose instead of in the pursuit of another woman.

Would not the affinity of a married man help him to a fuller, nobler growth by spurning him on toward an effort to resurrect his domestic happiness than by taking him from his wife and children"

Surely renunciation is a more sublime thing than the gratification of a selfish desire which means sorrow to others.

And such renunciation brings its own reward, a reward far greater than can result from self-indulgence or gratified ambitions.

When any young woman is convinced that she is the affinity of a married man she would do well to give her state of mind a careful analysis, and ask. "Would I choose this man from all the world if he were poor and without any prospect of wealth? Would I give up the world and the respect of my friends and family for his companionship?" Alas how many women who believe themselves inspired by a great passion would find Ignobis Mammon was the tempter, not Cupid, if they subjected themselves to such a test.

We have many women's clubs and organizations in the land, and many churches, but we sorely need a "Moral Obligation and Personal Responsibility Club." Such a club might bear the sub-title of "The Anti-Affinity Organization."

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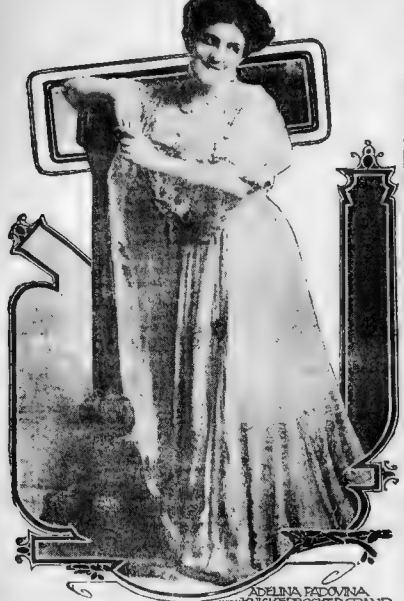

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If [illegible] the original remarked Richard [illegible] some imitations [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

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It's just the thing away good nights for a starter, then put a swell show of this kind on and you've got a hit. Well now, that's the way the manager of the famous old Howard theatre figures it, and he's going to put on a burlesque show that will make the natives sit up and take notice. Manager Rollins has engaged the best burlesque talent in the country, and the show will be a corker from start to finish. Also the Old

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You'll not find it slow in marching to the front with a whole regiment of real fun every afternoon and evening at the Howard theatre, for they're out to make every performance a record breaker. Manager Rollins has surrounded himself with a corps of experienced assistants, and they're going to provide the Washington street playhouse with some advanced dancing heads and funny men. The ladies will need the handkerchief early and often when Cora Barlyn is the danger down under with the weeping act at present and Hill and Ackerman will win for your approval still more with their "We and Mac Love Mary" lies with all a fire battle inspirations and dainty Esther Walker heads the cast of the show. Billy Barlow has several cards of good fun entertainment in his belt and Ada Corbett will carry Old Glory in it with her specialties. Manager Rollins the Howard troupe, and has put on a Rotouch burlesque scenic and will be seen to remarkable in the good old-style moving pictures.

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[illegible] one of the most [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Miss Hearing [illegible] Miss Phillips McMorrow, Jr. William Sheeley and Peter A. Collins.

APPEAL FOR BRANCH OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Meeting House Hill People Want Place to Take Mischeivous Boys Off Street.

The location of a public library reading room at Meeting House Hill is strongly urged by hundreds of Dorcester residents backed by Councilman Harry O. Cumming and the public library trustees are now considering the matter.

The establishment of the branch station with a well-equipped reading room would do away with many complaints which have been made to the police against mischievous boys, who are accustomed to congregate on the street corners for the annoyance of the pedestrians, in the opinion of those now advocating the measure.

"Give the boys a place where they can find interesting and healthful amusement and I think that the district would be inclined to send a prominent clergyman to his pulpit and take the initiative in advocating the measure," he said, "the boys will gather on the corner and give way to their mischievous tendencies or the congregate in the harmful atmosphere of the pool room or bowling alley. I feel that we need such a branch station."

Councilman Cumming has called the matter to the attention of the Common Council and urged the library trustees to consider the matter favorably. It is expected that at the next meeting of the Common Council

POPULAR ACTRESS WHO HAS MADE BIG HIT IN "THE LION AND MOUSE"

GERTRUDE COGHLAN COMING TO THE HOLLIS

'SHIRLEY ROSSMORE' WITHOUT A 'PAST,'

Gertrude Coghlan Would Play Role in "The Lion and the Mouse" Forever.

Query—Why is Gertrude Coghlan like one of Charley Hoyt's old farces?

Answer—Because she is "A Contented Woman."

Well, what next? Gertrude isn't contented about, anyhow?

About her role of Shirley Rossmore in "The Lion and the Mouse."

Why should she be?

Gertrude says it's because Shirley Rossmore hasn't any "past," not ding in the way to make scandal. So I've asked Gertrude to play Shirley Rossmore till the theatrical crop comes home. And Gertrude Coghlan.

"The Lion and the Mouse" opens at the Hollis Street Theatre a week from tomorrow. The scandal of Shirley Rossmore is familiar to Bostonians and Gertrude Coghlan has had the part for the past three seasons, we recently asked if she were not weary of it.

"No," was the answer of Miss Coghlan, "I like the part of Shirley. She is a womanly woman, who has the sympathy of the audience from the first of the play to its finish. Furthermore, Shirley is the kind of woman that we too seldom see represented on the stage; she has no "past" to live down, that could cause her ever to be ashamed. I wouldn't mind playing Shirley the rest of my life."

Gertrude Coghlan is the daughter of the late Charles Coghlan, an actor widely known in his day. She is a niece of Miss Rose Coghlan. She began her stage career at the age of six [illegible] appearing in her father's production of "The Royal Box."

In July, 1905, she was married in Michigan to Augustus Pitou, Jr., son of Augustus Pitou, the New York theatrical manager.

Actress Whose Beauty Has Made Her Paris' Reigning Favorite

ELLE M. LANTELME

One of the present favorites of the Parisian theatre goers is Elle M. Lantelme, a Parisienne actress who is one of the best drawing cards of the season and is said to be the most [illegible] woman in the Paris stage.

As a matter of fact the divorce [illegible] Mlle Lantelme has become possessed by suits of [illegible] Count Jean de Castellane, [illegible] are most expensive. It is [illegible] though

HERE'S ONE FERDIE THINKS SO ANYWAY

But Darling Little Ferdie Has a Kick Just the Same.

A [illegible] and has come up out of the depths and [illegible] fearful roar he [illegible] Green fame [illegible] is engallant to May Boston in [illegible] poem and, as the compliment [illegible] is [illegible] lodging decided upon the grand old [illegible] zoo of Perdita II.

It is [illegible] from the song that Miss Boston sings in "1492" at the Globe. The title in Green's story of [illegible] song is to the effect that a young [illegible] has written a sentimental note to [illegible] song woman of the "1492" company, which is doubtless no stage joke, but I don't know her right name. So she has addressed his billet-doux to "The girl in Green." Miss Boston tells about the song and there are pretty girls all dressed in green.

Oh, They're All Pretty.

At the interesting juncture the original "Ferdie" goes up in the middle of the [illegible] and says: "I am Ferdie [illegible] Mr. [illegible] That's the girl I mean." [illegible] Miss Boston gets the chance of his life [illegible] to the fellow, ungallantly, "I'm not the only one."

And so all the girls in green hop over the [illegible] and accept an invitation to [illegible] with the candid "Ferdie."

But there were [illegible] several admirers of Miss Boston take exception to the [illegible] of Ferdie in [illegible] saying some either girl is prettier than Miss Boston [illegible] of these admirers have written current letters relating her that they didn't grow on any such [illegible] that she [illegible] and what "Ferdie" says she is [illegible] and that Ferdie's taste is no good. It ought to apply to some relief committee for assistance to the indigent

Not This Ferdie! No!

The [illegible] came yesterday however, when one of the Boston admirers, whose name is also [illegible] wrote the following moving [illegible] to the slighted lady:

Miss Boston—I am [illegible] to tell you that I never [illegible] note in my life [illegible] or for that matter to anyone else until now. What I want to say is that the name of the young man who is supposed to have written the note must be changed. All of my friends are calling me a goat and I'm getting sore. I admit I made any [illegible] but I [illegible] I have been such a chump as to address [illegible] to the slighted lady. I'm a gallant defender and feel [illegible] that I am [illegible] have studied [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

TEDDY-B AND TEDDY-G, THE BEAR DETECTIVES

XXV.--Mystery of the King's Fiddlers Solved

Verses by Seymour Eaton.

Drawings by C. H. Twelvetrees.

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He rang for his pipe, he rang for his bowl,
His fiddlers three, in their usual way,
While he smoked his pipe, marched in to play,
To dance and joke and sing and jest,
And do each thing their very best.
The King was cross and began to speak
To ask them where they'd been all week;
But they never listened; just played ahead

"Played loud and louder and danced and sang.
And made the strings like banjos. bang."

"The case arranged they said good-bye
And the Teddy Bears said they would try."

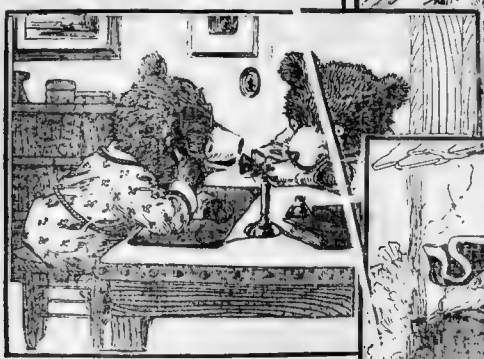
"His fiddlers three, in their usual way,
While he smoked his pipe, marched in to play."

"WE charge no fee," said TEDDY-B,
"But tell us, please, how long," said he,
"They've been away, and when they went,
And if you know how their nights are spent;
And perhaps you have a photograph
Of how they act when they make you laugh
We should like to have, if you can spare,
Three suits of clothes, the kind they wear,
'Twould help us much as we search each nook
To know just how these fiddlers look.
Their fiddles, too, send two or three,
And the music played we should like to see."

The case arranged they said good-bye,
And the Teddy Bears said they would try
To find the fiddlers that afternoon
They'd search the earth and sun and moon,
And perhaps the stars, they said, to see
If by any chance these fiddlers three
Had taken wings to get out of sight
When they disappeared the previous night

And gave no attention to what he said;
Played loud and louder and danced and sang,
And made the strings, like banjos, bang,
And marched in step and wheeled about,
And at each turn gave a merry shout.
At last he laughed, this jolly King,
At the way they played and everything,
I aughed with his eyes and mouth and nose
All down his body to his toes,
And rolled on his chair and shook so hard
You could hear him out in the palace yard

When the pipe was finished and the music through
The King gave each ten sovereigns new;

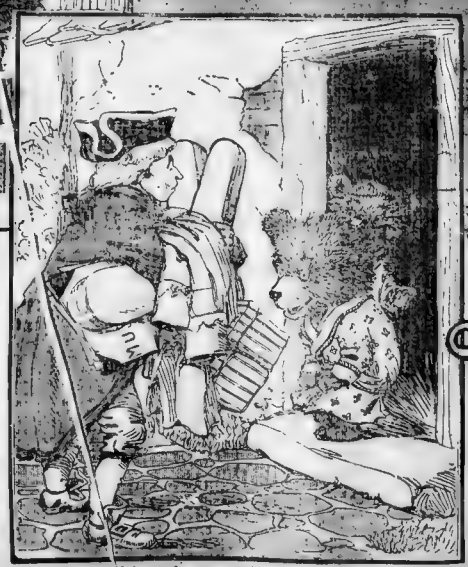


"They phoned for Billy and when he came
They told him all about their game."

"The King gave each ten sovereigns new."

A royal page, [illegible]
And violins and leather boots
Arrived at ten, and all he said
Was that the King had gone to bed
He'd awake at two and expect to see
In his dining room his fiddlers three

'Twas then the fun of [illegible] began,
For the Teddy Bears had a secret plan
To get Billy Blink to help them play
A joke on the jolly King that day,
They 'phoned for Billy, and when he came
They told him all about their game
"We'll use these suits," said TEDDY-G,
"And dress ourselves like the fiddlers three;
Go to the palace and be on hand
When the king awakes, to play our band,
To dance our jigs and joke and laugh
Like the funny things on a phonograph."
When the King awoke, the merry soul,



"A royal page, with the fiddlers' suits
And violins and leather boots."

For this old King could hardly see,
And he didn't know that his fiddlers three
Were the Teddy Bears and Billy Blink;
At least that's what they all three think;
But folks who know good Old King Cole,
His great big heart and merry soul,
Have said that the King knew TEDDY-B
And guessed at once his fiddlers three,
And the joke was his instead of theirs;
On Billy Blink and the Teddy Bears.

Boston American Daily Home Magazine

It's Blessed to Be Broke, If You but Look at It Right

By Kennett Harris

THE young man with the rueful countenance cleared his throat nervously. "The fact is, I'm broke," he confessed. "I've just a few dollars in my pocket, and when they're gone—well, I don't know I'm up against it."

The Good Old Chastened Soul smiled beautifully. "Is that all?" he said. "Bless my stars! I thought that it was something serious. My dear boy, you ought not to let a little thing like that worry you."

"It's not a little thing," said the young man with the rueful countenance.

"It is the finest thing in the world, if you look at it the right way," said the Good Old Chastened Soul. "Why, it's a moral tonic! It simplifies living, it stimulates activity.

"I've known lots of people who would never have gone to work if they had not been fortunately brought to a condition of brokeness. I don't know anything that sharpens a man's faculties like 'being broke'."

"And his appetite," suggested the young man.

And his appetite," agreed the Good Old Chastened Soul. "That's an advantage very often. I've had doctors tell me that fasting now and then is extremely beneficial. We work our digestive apparatus entirely too hard, as a general thing, we eat too much.

"The body doesn't require a great deal of food to sustain it. I was very much interested in some experiments in that direction conducted by a Washington physician. He got the war department to feed him a few ounces of bread and water per day, and printed them of nourishment to perspire from.

All the Better!

"If you'll excuse me," interrupted the young man with the rueful countenance, "I'd rather not hear about it. I'll face it when it comes, but in the meantime I'd prefer to listen to something a little more cheerful than the pathology of starvation."

"I think you are a little morbid, but we won't talk about it if you find it disagreeable," said the Good Old Chastened Soul.

"But I assure you that I was very much struck by three of the men out of a total of eight entered for the race, and that, of course, is one of the survivors are not impaired in any way to the extent that you might imagine.

But to talk about being broke as being

[illegible]

The Hall-Room Boys

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AS USUAL G. WHATAWAD SPOILS THEIR LITTLE BLUFF

Wrong to Shun It

"I THINK I would certainly feel like getting a few shovelfuls when I got out of it," said the young man. All the same, I would sooner keep out of it if I could.

"You are wrong to shun it," said the Good Old Chastened Soul. "I have omitted to mention the greatest advantage of all in favor of these fine days, say twenty or thirty years hence, when we are all in affluence and ill ailing it aches to you when you get up, you will be grateful for them. [illegible] When your friends are [illegible] you will be able to give a [illegible] the relief of [illegible] with the [illegible] remain [illegible] at the [illegible] Then we seeks to [illegible] you [illegible] There was a time [illegible] out to my nerve

"There was a time when I hadn't a cent to my name!

"Think of that!" said the Good Old Chastened Soul. "Isn't that worth while? Can you realize the satisfaction that you will get out of the repetition of that proud cry? I hope you do.

"I guess I'll have to be moving around a little," said the young man with the rueful countenance, rising.

Sit down, my son," said the Good Old Chastened Soul, detaining him by the sleeve. "Of course, if you really object to being broke, after considering its many advantages, that's another matter entirely. Sit down now and tell me about it. Perhaps it will take to straighten you out and bring back the glad sweet smile of old

Jealous? The Idea Is Too Ridiculous!

"WELL might tell me what's the trouble," insisted the young man with the frowning brow.

There isn't anything," said the young woman in pink, with the sweet accent a woman uses when she is ready to quarrel.

Well, you're mad about something," said the young man. "I haven't done a thing."

"You have, too!" burst out the young woman. "That's just the trouble! You've done too much! You've tried to do two things at once, which is always fatal.

"I'd like to know what two things," cried the young man with the frown.

"I am telling you, if you'd only listen," said the young woman indignantly. "You've mixed me all up, interrupting. And it wouldn't have been so bad if I could have been alone, under the circumstances, and no girl likes to be slighted before other people.

A Puzzler

"Mabel," said the young man, grasping one of her hands, "I seem to gather that you're mad at me about something. Don't for the life of me know what it is. Please—"

"You took me to the Smiths to call last evening, didn't you?" demanded the young woman. "And I asked you to do it because I never paid any more attention to me than if I had been in the blankline. You talked to the whole evening with Adalyn Jones. Though, I must say, how any human being could endure her so long is more than I can guess."

"I'm sure I don't care how much or how long you choose to hang around Adalyn Jones," said the young man, "but you did it over in the corner by yourselves, as if you were having the best time of your life."

Weren't you talking to Howard as if your life depended on it?" broke in the young girl. "I'd like to know what else I could do

That was very different," said the young woman in pink. "Did you expect that I was going to sit gazing into weeping eyes at the corner where you sat all grouped with Gladys?"

You slighted all the rest of the room, too, when it comes to that," persisted the young man, sternly.

Not the Question

That isn't the question at all!" said the young woman. I didn't mind your talking to Gladys, not in the least. I want you to do as you like, of course. I thought she seemed amusing and interesting to you after you had been so [illegible] for I never pretended to be clever. Still, I've heard people say she was as stupid as—as [illegible] There is no accounting for one's preferences, I suppose."

"I'd like to know what's got into you," said the young man. "You know perfectly well that I don't care a straw for Gladys Jones."

Well, then, why don't you do it?" demanded the young woman, in [illegible] "Do you want to know the real reason I came to you? Just because I was so fearfully jealous of Howard and the way you were enjoying his conversation."

The young woman in pink began to dimple. "Were you, really?" she asked.

"Frightfully," said the young man, frowning as hard as he could.

"You foolish boy!" murmured the young woman, putting up her cheek to be kissed. "You ought to be as I am! Why, Howard isn't to be compared with you!"

Cook Book Free for Choice Recipes

THE writer of every recipe printed below receives a copy of the BOSTON AMERICAN Economy Cook Book, a substantial indexed blankbook of 128 pages, bound in heavy oilcloth, especially designed to preserve these recipe gems in permanent form. Address Economy Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 80 Summer street, Boston.

Fat Wives and Nervous Husbands

(Article 4.)

That "comparisons are odious" is realized by a thin man with a fat wife when the two are seated to a meal. Everybody is amused, or at least the husband thinks they are, when his wife's bulk crowds him inconsiderately into a corner. Such marked physical contrasts are food for domestic peace, and any married person who is noticeably fatter than his or her partner, should reduce.

To take off flesh is not difficult nowadays. The Marmola Prescription has made the old-time starving and exercising out ruinous of one's stomach with solid drugs unnecessary. Now all one needs to do is ask her druggist for ½ oz. Marmola, ½ oz. Fluid Extract Cascara Sagrada and ½ oz. Syrup Simplex—a pleasant mixture—which should be taken in teaspoonful doses after meals and at bedtime. In a few days the [illegible] stuff up fat person feels as though a load had been lifted from her shoulders. She loses, in some cases, a pound a day, a pound a week, but although this is considerable, it is best to [illegible] Under the use of this mixture is not followed by stomach trouble or wrinkled skin. Marmola fat decreases uniformly until the ideal proportions of a beautiful figure have been obtained.

The above receipt is very popular, but for the many who prefer a remedy in tablet form the Marmola Co., of Detroit, Mich., have solidified the strength into an elegant little tablet called Marmola Prescription Tablets may be obtained from any good pharmacist or from the company direct, and as they are packed in extra large cases are not only the most widely used, but reducing tablet your druggist has, but also, the least expensive.

GERMAN POTATO CAKES

FOUR medium sized potatoes, grated, add one quarter cup sweet milk and one egg, a good [illegible] salt and flour enough to make batter as cakes. Fry in [illegible] cup butter to the bottom of the pan, but [illegible] the butter to cook cake, as you would if making fritters. When done it will be browned turn and brown the other side. Delicious. Try it.

MRS. F. C. CLOUSTON.
No. 357 Western avenue, Lynn

CHEESE POTATO

COOK four medium sized potatoes until [illegible] and slice. Put in baking dish one tablespoon of butter; add one tablespoon of flour, one cup of milk, one cup of grated cheese and put in hot oven to brown. Serve at once.

LILA BELLE PRICE.
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FRENCH HONEY

ONE pound white sugar, whites of four eggs, yolks of six eggs, juice of three of four lemons, grated rind of two lemons, one half pound [illegible] Put the sugar in a pan with [illegible] and the consistency of honey. Put in no [illegible] It is delicious served on bread. Delicious. Try and tried.

MRS. H. TALBERT.
No. 87 Sheridan street, Jamaica Plain.

WHO CAN ANSWER THIS?

ECONOMY EDITOR:

Will you kindly would let me know through your daily home magazine page a good recipe for [illegible] How to make it and what to put in to keep it from getting tough. Will it do to freeze it alright? Hoping to be favored with this, I remain yours thankfully,

LOUISE D.

RHUBARB PIE

ONE cup of thickcrib, chopped up fine, one cup of sugar, one egg, all beaten together. This makes a very nice pie.

MRS. NELLIE SWEENEY
No. 11 Baxter street, Quincy.

Man, the Grumbler, Has a Few Glaring Faults of His Own

By Beatrice Fairfax

[illegible] women have taken [illegible] to listen to the wills and [illegible] of men in regard to [illegible] theirs.

At one time women wore their hats in theaters, and then the men had some [illegible]

Now they [illegible] have to wear [illegible] and say that a woman might [illegible] as well go to the theater [illegible] with a mass of [illegible] ears.

But I am not [illegible] the [illegible] hats. I [illegible] the [illegible] of going out at every [illegible] period, and [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] is more [illegible] than [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

BEAUTY WEEK AT THE THEATERS

FAVORITE PLAYS TO BE REVIVED DURING COMING WEEK AT HUB THEATRES.

I'm going to be quite a week for com- portions in Boston's standard Madame Nazimova, special- which she is to there a lifetime of the Ib- the first part- she is a- opportunity, and I- stage who does- The Pho- is at I- Majestic in the first- Boston Theatre- Ibsen's Girl of the- rangement with- Ibsen's favorite- positions of- and the- child- tomer- other- the Road- I'm a- It's a- The- have- new- bills, of- course- (Incognito), "Mercy's- and "The- Lady" and The Man of the Hour" continue.

Colonial Theatre

"Tooti Toot Waltz" Skinner

I'm going to- Mr. Carle can do it in "Mary's Lamb," which begins its second week at the Colonial Theatre to- matinee- a- one- things- it- the- stars- of- the- Mirandola Mid'Wi- sweet- as- plenty- pleasantness- and- and- The- the things that makes a recurring bit as Carle's absent habit of taking the make- of an a- by the sound of its horn, like this. "Toot- Toot Panhard." It gets in- every- and- ing good- when- Nat- a- lots- of- new- product- have- seen- it- up- with- the- of- course- 23- Last- Carle- as funny as the "Spy and Marker." Carle works like a major all the time. The music is good, the costumes and scenery are all desirable. The shadowgraph- [illegible] good- guessing- trying to figure out- Who's Who- behind- the- scenes- the- silly- [illegible] with- alibis, however- are- well- heeled- performers- of- a- new- song- in- lasting- fast- comic- female- in- the- tights- and- sweater- come- out- in- the- first- act, come- out- [illegible]

Majestic Theatre

After a flattering week at the Majestic Theatre with the role of Nora in "A Doll's House," Mme. Alla Nazimova—event on the "big"—changes her personality this week to two wholly different characters. The Russian American genius will appear in the title role of Ibsen's "Hedda Gabler" to- [illegible] Saturday- [illegible] Saturday matinee- and- [illegible] Nora- [illegible] Hedda Gabler- [illegible] The- [illegible] Ibsen- [illegible] Nora- [illegible] Hedda

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THOUSANDS CHEER NEW NATIONAL PARTY.

Vast Crowd Throngs Carnegie Hall for N. Y. Convention of Independence Party.

ENTHUSIASM ABOUNDS

Mighty Reception Accorded W. R. Hearst When He Enters Crowded Auditorium.

PICK NATIONAL DELEGATES

W. R. Hearst, A. J. Boulton, R. R. Lyon and Dr. G. H. W. Auel Elected Delegates.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Amid scenes of the greatest enthusiasm and harmony the new Independence Party in New York State stepped into the arena of national politics to-night at its first State convention in this State held in Carnegie Hall.

William Randolph Hearst, of New York; Alfred J. Boulton, of King's; Rubin Rolin Lyon, of Steuben, and Dr. C. H. W. Auel, of Erie, were named as the four delegates-at-large to the first national convention of the party, to be held in Chicago late in July.

In addition, thirty-nine electors to represent the party in the electoral college, which will name the twenty-seventh President of the United States after the election in November, were named. A strong, straightforward platform, meeting the great issues before the voters of the country, fairly and openly, was adopted with a shout of approval as soon as it was presented to the convention by Clarence J. Shearn, chairman of the committee on resolutions.

Spectators Crowd Hall.

Decorations and spectators crowded the body of the great auditorium and women in bright dresses filled the boxes beneath the brilliant decorations that girdled the hall when the convention opened at 8 o'clock. For half an hour before Begg's Military Band had been playing patriotic airs, and as executive committeeman John T. Maslin of New York stepped forward to the speaker's desk to call the big gathering to order the whole audience was singing "Star Spangled Banner."

When the national anthem had been finished with vim and dash and cheers, Mr. Maslin made the announcement of his secretaries and introduced Henry A. Powell of Schuylerville temporary chairman. There had already been a lot up in the enthusiasm for a nominee, the dozen speeches that was Mr. Powell declared that the year to come for all who believed in real Democracy and real Republicanism. The Democratic party, he declared, had been stifled by the Bryan-Belmont-Sheehan-Tammany influences, and the Republican party was the hotbed of the reactionary organization and reactionary Sherman was chosen temporary chairman of the convention, with Alfred Marston as leader of the committee on credentials and rectors.

Chairman Powell had made the announcement of the committees, the following three committees, which were adopted after fifteen minute addresses in favor of the committees, each in some minute made to make a report, the report would be adopted.

Then called for speeches from the platform of the movement, and Mr. Shearn stepped forward upon the stage. Miss Johnson, the former ran for the League for sheriff, and he called on impressively for John Temple Graves that Mr. Graves was forced to the front of the platform and to the front.

John Temple Graves's Speech.

The platform of the Independence party, he said, is clear, definite and sincere. Mr. Graves alluded to Mr. Hearst as "our great leader." This allusion was applauded to the echo.

"I inform campaigns first waged by William Randolph Hearst were what in [illegible] President Roosevelt to make them his own," said Mr. Graves. "It was Hearst who taught the President how to ride down the trust and the beef trust. It was Mr. Hearst who has led us through pretty nearly every one of the issues that [illegible] so good to the people, and the people a confidence to lead it in the [illegible] understanding what they own him, and [illegible] they are beginning to make their voice heard."

Cheers for W. R. Hearst.

Colonel Alexander Sloane, who was still in the midst of his address when Mr. Hearst at 9 o'clock entered the hall.

The delegates, the people in the boxes and the whole audience packed into the auditorium clapped hands, sang and stamped as Mr. Hearst took his seat. The band playing "Hail to the Chief" as he entered, was forced to repeat it for fifteen minutes before the audience would permit it to cease. Part of the crowd even started to march about the tiers, singing and cheering before the chairman and Mr. Hearst could gain a hearing.

This convention was remarkable in its difference from the stale conventions of the two old parties which preceded it—the Republican convention, boss-ridden and listless, declaring for Governor Hughes, whom

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Woman in Worcester Death Mystery; Husband and Woman Who Now Cares for Their Three Sons

MRS. ATTIE BOSTWICK HALL

MRS BELLE WORCESTER

EUGENE FRED HALL

23 HORSES LOST IN STABLE FIRE

Three-Story Building on Dorchester Avenue Damaged by Early Morning Blaze.

Twenty three horses perished in a fire which broke out at 3:45 o'clock this morning in the W[illegible] & Co., horse dealers, at 20 Dorchester avenue, South Boston. The horses were on the second floor, reached by a ramp. In the cellar a smoke shut poured out into the avenue it was impossible to reach them.

Movement of Horses.

Next door [illegible] which was a livery stable, [illegible] Clifford S Cobb, proprietor of the [illegible] aroused by belated pedestrians [illegible] to the street in their night clothes.

At [illegible] the flames of the blaze [illegible] the street floor [illegible] within 200 yards of his own home, which was [illegible] were [illegible] and the [illegible] were [illegible] and the [illegible] were [illegible] and the

WILLIAM R. HEARST'S SPEECH AT NEW YORK CONVENTION

NEW YORK, May 2.—William Randolph Hearst's speech, delivered at the Independence Party Convention at Carnegie Hall this evening, follows:

My Friends: When I look upon this great hall, well crowded in this inclement weather, I am filled with admiration for the vitality of a movement which has survived two fusions

This astonishing strength, attained under the most disheartening circumstances, is but an intimation of what the party may achieve if it remain free from the contamination of fusion, and devotedly true to its own principles.

It has been difficult to prevent fusion while the Independence party was composed of disconnected organizations in different States, largely influenced by local conditions. Indeed, the National Independence Party was founded not only to give this movement unity of organization, unity of purpose and unity of action, but to compel recognition of the fact that the League is not the trading club to be used for the benefit of politicians, but a great party to be devoted to the best interests of the whole people

The members of the convention do not all know that I have been a most sullen and reluctant convert to fusion in times past, and that I have argued strenuously against it in the councils of the League

Yet there are many in this hall who have been on committees before which I have spoken, and what I have said to them privately I am now going to say publicly to all

Fusion Political Hari-Kari.

Fusion is merely a political adaptation of the Japanese custom of committing hari-kari on the doorstep of your enemy

Every fusion means a loss in strength, in standing, or at least in opportunity for the Independence League

There are three stages of fusion—fusion, confusion and diffusion.

Now any friends either this Independence Party movement is necessary or it is not. If it is not, then let us go back into the old parties and vote there and stay there, and if it is necessary, then let us not sacrifice our ultimate high aims and patriotic purposes for the false hope of a temporary success

If we are sincere in our denunciation of the old parties, we must be consistent in our opposition to the old parties

If the old parties are not good enough to vote for, they are not good enough to vote with

I claim that even where fusion is defensible morally, it is unwise politically. Every time we fuse with the Democrats, we lead some of our ex-Democrats back into the ditch of Democracy, and drive some of our ex-Republicans back into the slough of Republicanism The same thing happens when we fuse with the Republicans. And after fusion it takes at least a years experience of Republican robbery or Democratic depravity to bring our lost back into the fold

Every time we fuse, we infuse some of our vigorous new blood into the veins of the decrepit old parties, and while that may do the old parties some temporary good, it certainly does us and the ultimate success of our cause incalculable harm

That homely philosopher, Josh Billings, declared that success consists not so much in never making mistakes as in never making the same mis take twice

Experience has taught us that fusion is a mistake, and prudence, as well as public duty, should prevent us from repeating that mistake

Our experiences, both in New York and Illinois, may be cited as illuminating examples of this evil of fusion.

In 1906 the radicals in this State claimed to have control of the Democratic party and declared that it would be deplorable if the progressives in the League and the progressives in the Democratic party should be divided, and the reactionaries, united in the Republican party, should be allowed to win

This argument prevailed, and finally the League fused with, or rather allowed the important candidates on its ticket to be indorsed by the Democracy. The League's candidate for Governor was indorsed, the League's candidate for Lieutenant Governor was indorsed, the League's candidate for Secretary of State was indorsed, and a compromise candidate for Attorney-General was indorsed

Refuse Harmony With Hypocrisy.

This seemed like a complete victory for the League, but it was, nevertheless, a mistake. I had not advanced far in the campaign before I found that there could be no harmony without hypocrisy, and so I personally declined to fuse. I denounced McCarren, the Democratic boss of Brooklyn. I said that Murphy might be for me, but I was not for Murphy, and when Van Wyck came out in my support, I said I did not want the support of any ice trust Mayor or any gas trust Mayor

Of course I lost my election, but I saved my self-respect.

I was defeated by the machines of New York city and Brooklyn

And I congratulate them on their foresight in defeating me, for my first act as Governor would have been to lift the dishonest officials of those corrupt machines out of office by the hair of their unworthy heads

That is one experience. Another occurred in Chicago. The Independence League was a promising party when Judge Dunne was renominated by the Democrats for Mayor of Chicago.

Judge Dunne was an able and conscientious man, and his friends insisted that the League should indorse him. They admitted that the Democratic machine was dishonest, but claimed, truthfully enough, that Judge Dunne was honest, and said that if the League did not support him he would not be elected, and the cause of reform would receive a setback The League finally indorsed Judge Dunne, and the Democratic Party defeated Judge Dunne

The League brought many honest and sincere citizens to his support, and the Republican and Independent wards showed heavy gains in his favor, but the Loeffles and the Hinkey Dinks and the Bath House Johns and purchasable politicians of certain Democratic districts betrayed their own party and defeated their own candidate.

But even if fusion had proved successful in a given election, I maintain that it would still have been a mistake.

I declare that the formation of a new party, permanently devoted to rescuing the government from the control of selfish interests and restoring it to the impartial administration of the whole citizenship is of more importance than the election of any individual whatsoever.

The government of this nation was reposed in the hands of the whole people by the Declaration of Independence, by the Constitution and by the plain purposes of its founders.

People Robbed of Government

It has been taken out of the hands of the people by powerful special interests who have controlled it and conducted it for their own selfish advantages.

To express the spirit of the Declaration of Independence, to maintain the Constitution, to carry out the purposes of the founders of the government, to re-establish free government by fair majority rule for the full benefit of the whole community, the Independence Party exists.

There is distinct danger to the Republic in the attempt to deprive the citizens of the free exercise of the liberties and the full enjoyment of the opportunities which the founders of the government secured for us and bequeathed to us.

There is a distinct danger, not only in the control of government by privileged interests, but in the interference of government with individual liberty.

There is a distinct danger, not only in the centralization of power, but in the exercise of that power for the favoring of friends and the persecution of enemies

These evils have developed under the domination of the old parties, and will exist as long as the domination of the old parties continues.

These evils will only be corrected—can only be corrected—by a new party whose sole purpose is the perpetuation of the government as the founders framed it, and the preservation of the liberty and equality, the independence and opportunity which have been the invaluable inheritance of all American citizens

DEMAND DEATH INQUIRY

RELATIVES DECLARE WOMAN POISONED

Authorities Will Investigate Circumstances in Case of Mrs. Hall of Worcester.

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always passes to look and smile upon On January 25, last, the girl of the romance, grown to be the beautiful young woman she is well along in their teens, died suddenly in her home in Worcester, whither she had the year here of her life had come shortly after their romantic marriage.

"Gene" Hall and Attie Bostwick never knew when they first fell in love. They never even knew when they first met, for they grew up together as school children in the quaint and quiet old town of South Londonderry. As children they had played together from infancy and when they attended school they were known to their schoolmates as more than chums.

Bridal's Family Angry.

The schoolday affection quickly ripened into love of youth "Attie" was every thing to "Gene" and "Gene" was "Attie's" greatest hero. The mutual attention between boy and girl and then maiden and youth was not pleasing to the Bostwick family, but the parents thought it would soon pass away as such affairs usually do.

But when all South Londonderry was interested at the elopement of young Hall and the pretty Attie Bostwick, there was anger in the home of the girl bride's family No one else in the town was surprised, however. "Just what I expected Steps to the annulment of the marriage were contemplated by the Bostwick family, but cooler counsels prevailed and the consent of the parents reluctantly given

At thirteen young Hall had the physique of a man, and when married he was considered a fine catch. He himself is somewhat sticky now, in build, he is still a handsome man

"Gene" Hall was independent from the beginning The reluctantly parental assent to the runaway match chafed him, and he persuaded his bride to go out with him into the world, where he would make for a good living for them both and soon provide her with a cozy, comfortable home

Of course she agreed "Gene could do anything, and almost lived to hand they left old South Londonderry and went to Worcester, where they lived until the strange tragedy of last February

Became a Great Favorite.

As soon as Hall arrived in Worcester he secured a position with the firm of building contractors The Vermont boy was strong, faithful, steady and more than fulfilled the expectations of his employers. He soon became invaluable, and in turn a great favorite

For a time the couple lived with Mrs. L. H Samuson. Then "Gene," true to his word, established a gentle home for his bride in Eastern avenue, Worcester. After that came the happy life a baby boy came to the home, and as the years came and went two other boys were added to the family.

Once there was an estrangement and in August of 1902 Eugene Hall, after a misunderstanding and dispute with his wife, left his home, which had been started in No. 408 Park avenue, Worcester, and took a room at his father's house

He frequently visited his wife and his handsome boys, however, and upon the occasion of each of these visits Mrs. Hall awaited him at her outgoing love and begged him to return to his home

Finally, the wife's prayers prevailed and Eugene Hall came back to live at the Park avenue house with his wife and sons. There was peace in the little home and, apparently, the husband's life for the fine-looking wife returned and they happy and reunited.

NEVER COMPLAINED OF HEART DISEASE, SAYS HER SISTER-IN-LAW

Worcester May 2.—Mrs. Edward J. Bostwick, sister-in-law of the dead woman, makes this statement

"The morning that Attie died I didn't get to the house until after she was dead. When I got there the doctors had gone. She was lying on the couch. Her hands were discolored and looked purple, and around the finger nails the color was deeper. Her lips were drawn and looked as though burned Her face was a peculiar pallor of a yellowish tint.

"Attie used to tell of her troubles, and she never said that she had heart trouble. We never knew that she had it I was up at her house ten night before she died, and that was after she had done a big day's work She had done all the washing and ironing alone, besides cooking and the general housework She was happy, and looked well. She played and sang at the piano.

"When we got to the house Saturday morning Mr. Hall asked me if I didn't think the body ought to be embalmed at once. I told him that was for him to decide, and he said that he thought it should be done. Then he went down stairs and called up the undertaker. The body was taken down to Caswell's that noon. Attie did not have any life insurance. She was in some association which simply guarantees to pay your doctor bills if you are sick "

(Additional news of the Worcester death mystery on Page 27.)

DR. MAGRATH'S DEDUCTIONS FROM SYMPTOMS IN THE CASE

WHEN shown the following description of the symptoms which are described to have immediately preceded and succeeded the mysterious death of Mrs. Attie Bostwick Hall of Worcester, and yet not told in what person these symptoms were observed, Medical Examiner George B. Magrath of Suffolk County said: "It seems to me not impossible that in this instance they may have been caused by some form of poisoning." The symptoms submitted were as follows:

Drank glass of liquid; got up from bed almost immediately and fell groaning to the floor Found lying face down upon the floor.

Groaning as though in great pain. The tongue was out and the patient seemed to be trying to get water

Seemed to be seized with contortions, though position was such that arms could not be moved freely

Tried to drink, acted as though trying to lick up water

Tongue seemed to be doubled up in the mouth

Limbs became rigid while patient still lived

After death hands were discolored, and around finger nails the color was deeper.

Lips were dried and looked as though burned. The face was a peculiar pallor of a yellowish tint.

Dr. Magrath made the following statement

"The conditions described in the enclosed copy appear to be those of a death preceded by the symptoms of pain and convulsions.

"Although it is true that in the course of certain diseases death may be preceded by such symptoms, it seems to me not impossible that in this instance they may have been caused by some form of poisoning"

THOUSANDS CHEER NEW NATIONAL PARTY

Vast Crowd Throngs Carnegie Hall in New York for Independence Convention.

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one of its leaders desired and the Democratic convention, earlier in the day, which made it necessary for the police to interfere and restore order

Independence was the watchword of the convention, delegates expressed themselves freely on every point at issue, and the one aim seemed to be to present the party at its national convention as well as the men to head its tickets, were the choice of the people. Before a call was officially promulgated in every county of the State that sisters and followers of the old Democratic parties expressed their surprise at the free action and harmony which prevailed through out the convention

Red Letter Day for Party.

In many respects to-day was a red letter day for the party in New York State The Executive committee of the State Committee assembled in the parlors of Carnegie Hall at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. At this meeting preliminary details were discussed. The Executive Committee then adjourned, and the full State committee met at 3:30 o'clock.

At this meeting reports for the respective districts were received, and the actions taken for the nomination of the ticket were discussed. While the State committee was in session hundreds of delegates gathered in their respective districts and two delegates each and two alternates from each of the eleven congressional districts

Next to the business of the session was the fact that practically every one of the twenty-two districts in the State was represented by full delegations of three delegates and three alternates

Each district was not chosen as delegates from the same in New York to attend this launching of the party But they were decided by the committees and chiefs of the path of circulation and the committee of one hundred, and in this in that not a single contest was made in a single one of the 22 districts indicated the fairness by which the primaries at which the delegations were selected were held

CLAIM TAFT LACKS BUT 32 DELEGATES

359 Instructed, 100 More Declared for Secretary of War, Bureau Says.

Columbus, O., May 2—The following statement was given out by the Taft Bureau to-day: Instructed for Taft: Ohio, 46; Illinois, 58; Iowa, 26; Minnesota, 18; Nebraska, 16; North Dakota, 8; Oregon, 8; Rhode Island, 8; Vermont, 6; Washington, 8; unrestricted, 161, of whom 100 are said to be for Taft. Total, 359.

Secretary Taft needs only thirty-two more votes to insure his nomination on the first ballot. The remaining 100 delegates to be selected are conceded by Taft managers to be for Taft, but the 100 uninstructed delegates, it is said, will be appointed by Taft and they will vote for Taft. This brings Taft's score up to 459.

BRIDE OF 4 DAYS DIES ON HONEYMOON

Newmarket, N. H., May 2.—Mrs. Joseph Gleda of Lowell, aged thirty, a bride of four days, died suddenly here yesterday She and her husband were spending their honeymoon here The woman was taken ill and died fifteen minutes later. She was married last Monday Miss Marie Louise Labbe The wedding took place at St. Joseph's French Catholic Church, Lowell.

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Cut Glass Strawberry Bowl, 9 inches across, very deep exceptionally fine cutting, very brilliant glass, handsome pattern, a beautiful wedding present, reduced from $4.00 to **1.89**

French China Salad Set, man factured by the Haviland Co., consisting of a handsome bowl with six plates to match, decorated in the finest Sevres pattern, with gold leaf **1.39**

Remember, 7 pieces of French china!

Wellesley Bag, of genuine goat skin leather, well lined, with inside pocket, size 12x12 inches, a bag that will be in the market, reduced to **89c**

TUESDAY.

Imported Basket Serving Tray, two handles, 8-inch size, and oval shape actual value $1.50 to $2.00, your choice at **1.39**

Cut Glass Olive Dish, 7-inch across, with or without handle, handsome design worth $2.00 and $2.50, reduced to **89c**

Sterling Handle Carving Set, consisting of 8-inch blade knife, fork and steel, each piece strictly warranted, regular $3.00 value, reduced from $3.00 to **2.49**

Very useful wedding gift

Solid Gold Neck Chains, in the popular rope pattern 15 inches long including gold clasp, soldered links, which can be conquered with light weight offered elsewhere for same price, **1.29** reduced for one day to .....

Silver Plated Butter Dish With Glass Bottom

Round shape, hand burnished, fancy pattern, reduced from $2.00 to

79c

Black Seal Grain Leather Music Blank, full size, closed ends, music strung, durable, double bands, reduced from $1.75 to **85c**

China Strawberry Set, consisting of bowl set, small dishes to match, also sugar bowl and cream pitcher, in handsome decoration, this 9-piece set sold elsewhere for $2.50, reduced to **89c**

Solid Gold Locket, set with genuine diamond chip, round shape, in the popular Roman Ribbon plain finish, guaranteed 14 karat gold weight, reduced from $6.00 and $7.00 to **3.99**

THURSDAY.

Imported China Fish Set, consisting of one large platter and 11 plates and gravy boat to match this 14-piece set imported to sell for $5.00, reduced for one day to **3.99**

Silver Tea Spoons, Rogers A1 plate, two dozen patterns, bright finish, reduced to one dozen to each, or dozen **1.00**

Remember, these are genuine Rogers, and we warrant them.

Imported Cut Glass Sugar and Creams, in the popular chrysanthemum pattern, unusually pretty shape, reduced from $2.50 to, per set of two pieces **1.69**

TRADE MARK

Solid Gold Collar Buttons and Shirt Studs, reduced from $1.00 to **39c**

or 3 for $1.00.

Imported Leather Bags in the new shapes, some leather lined, some silk lined, some with fittings, some plain, all regular worth $3.00, your choice **99c**

Fine Imported Pearl Necklaces, short and long lengths, in the latest style and quality as near the genuine pearl as possible to get, sold elsewhere at $2.00 and up, reduced to, your choice **2.99**

Cut Glass Spoon Tray, in a very handsome cutting, new shape, reduced from $2.50 to **99c**

Imported China Chocolate Set, consisting of new shape pitcher and 8 cups and saucers to match, decorated in handsome floral design, reduced **99c**

Imported Waste Baskets, made in Japan in a variety of designs, shapes and prices, all worth $1.00 and upward, **39c** your choice .....

Just the thing for your summer home or bungalow.

Solid Gold Rings for ladies, set with garnets, emerald and turquoise doublets, also a few heavy signet rings in the lot, worth from $5.00 to $6.00, your choice **1.99**

..... Remember, solid gold.

FRIDAY.

Silver Syrup Pitcher and Tray, best quadruple plate, full size, all hand burnished, perfectly plain design, reduced from $2.25 **99c**

Cut Glass Lemonade Set, consisting of one cut glass pitcher, extra large pretty, and 6 cut glass tumblers to match, this seven-piece set sold elsewhere for $12.00 to **5.99**

Imported China Berry Set, consisting of large bowl and 8 individual dishes to match, all handsomely decorated and reduced from $2.50 to **99c**

..... Come early, as extra large bowl.

Leather Collar Bags for gentlemen, made of soft cow hide, leather lined, 9 inches in black, brown and tan, lined with satin, reduced from $1.00 to **69c**

SATURDAY.

Imported Gold and Silver Charelaine Pin, in the latest design, 3 inches long, best plate, warranted to wear, made of very fine mesh, with chain attached, worth $7.50, our price **3.99**

Imported Japanese Vases, large size, richly decorated in a variety of designs, regular $5.00 and $6.00 to **2.99**

Must be seen to be appreciated.

Silver Cake Basket, absolutely new, all burnished, made of best quadruple plate, reduced from $2.00 to **1.29**

Imported Cut Glass Vinegar Cruet Bottles, very prettily cut, and handsome shape, reduced from $1.25 to, each **49c**

Solid Gold Ring, Gloria Umbrella, with close edge, natural wood and fancy handle, best steel and cover. This model absolutely warranted by us; sold elsewhere for $2.50, our price **99c**

Yorenberg's Special!

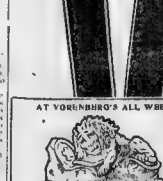
Solid Gold Cigar Cutters, 10 karat, in the new designs, reduced from $3.00 to **2.29**

Cut Glass Water Set, consisting of large cut glass water bottle and 6 cut glass tumblers to match, very rich cutting and must be seen to be appreciated, 7 pieces of cut glass, reduced from $7.50 **3.99**

to ..... Come early.

Japanese Vases, decorated very richly, assortment of shapes and sizes, imported to sell for $2.50 and $3.00, your choice **79c**

AT YORENBERG'S ALL WEEK:



The Famous Lucerne Lion, like cut, 7 inches long, 5 inches high, made of Parisian plaster, in ivory finish, sold elsewhere for $1.00, our price this week..... **29c**

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The Following Items Will Be on Sale All Week Unless Disposed of Before

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Table and Dessert Forks, each **18c**

or per set of 50 ..... **1.00**

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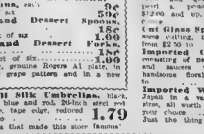

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Vinegar	Fancy Cider. Regular 10c and 25c values	Full Gal.	**8c** Large Jug **21c**

Corned Beef Middle ribs. Regular 10c value, Per lb. **8c**

Sirloin Roast. Regular 22c value, Per lb. **18c**

Top of Round Steak. Regular 22c value, Per lb. **18c**

Corned Shoulders. Regular 16c value, Per lb. **8c**

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HUSBAND DECLARES HE WILL INSIST UPON AN AUTOPSY

DEMANDED AN AUTOPSY DECLARES HUSBAND

Eugene F. Hall Says He Will Insist on Exhumation Of Body in Order to Clear Mystery.

Worcester, May 2.—Eugene Fred Hall, husband of Attie Bostwick Hall, whose relatives assert she was poisoned and have demanded an investigation, declares that he is anxious that his wife's body be exhumed and that a searching investigation of her death be made.

He said: "Twice have I asked Dr. Clark, the medical examiner, to perform an autopsy that I might know just what my wife died of, but they said that it wasn't necessary.

"Once I called on the chief of police about it, and once on detective Roach, but they told me I needn't come again; that they would send for me if there was anything to ask me.

"I'll go to the District Attorney and demand that the State hold an autopsy and find out what my wife died of."

Eugene Fred Hall is a rugged, strong-limbed man, fully ten feet in height. He was born in South Londonderry, Vt., but spent much of his time in Worcester. His family consists of three fine looking boys, Raymond, eighteen; Leon, fifteen, and Ralph, twelve. They are boarding with Mrs. Belle Worcester at Mr. Hall's old home, No. 465 Park avenue, and according to Mr. Hall he pays her $12 a week for board and lodging.

Here in Mr. Hall's story of his wife's death:

BY EUGENE FRED HALL.

I remember everything that happened that morning. I wasn't in a hurry to get to work and my wife and I talked and joked together before riding. I think I said I must get ready and go down to the shop. She hadn't been feeling very well. We had a case of porter in the house and during the middle of my breakfast she asked me to get her a bottle.

I got the bottle of porter and she poured out some and drank it while I finished my breakfast. We kept on chatting until I glanced at the clock.

"Attie," I said, "if I don't run I'll surely lose my car" and with that I pulled my hat and hurried out.

It appeared afterward that she was taken sick as soon as I left the house and she sent for a neighbor after me, but I had to run after the car and he didn't overtake me.

My wife had been subject to neuralgia. She had it in bad form. Only the day before, while we were talking, she stretched up suddenly and clasped her hands over her heart.

"Oh! It seems just she was seized with another attack. My boy told me later that she hurried over to the front end of the window looking for me, with her hand pressed tightly against her heart. Not seeing me, as it appears, she turned and walked across the room, leaning very pale and in great distress. She sank down near the stove, about ten feet away.

The first I knew of this was when I got to the shop. No. 161 Main street. There they told me word had come by telephone to hurry right back to the house. This I did. It had taken me fifteen minutes to get down to my work. Fortunately, I got the same car going back.

When I entered the room Attie was lying unconscious on the couch. I raised her head on my arm and began trying to speak to me, but she could not in the meantime two or three physicians had been telephoned for. By the time one came he produced a glass and held it to her mouth to see if my wife breathed. Then he shook his head.

I heard him tell me she was alive "she can't be dead." I almost shouted at him. Others came, but used an instrument to rest the heart. When he used it he told me that her heart had stopped beating. "Yes, I am satisfied that she is dead," he said, but even then I wouldn't believe it.

Sent for Mrs. Worcester.

After the funeral it became quite a problem what to do with the children. I talked with them about getting a housekeeper, and the second son, who knew Mrs. Belle Worcester, having met her at my father's house, suggested that she would be a fine woman to come to.

I wrote to her in Vermont. She replied, and I still have the letter in which she said not consent unless all the children were satisfied. They declared they would be pleased with her, and so she came.

Mrs. Worcester is a splendid housekeeper. I had known her in Vermont and Massachusetts. She was a friend of the family. I think I had known her for nearly six years. When my wife died I sold out everything I had to Mrs. Worcester and we completed the arrangements for boarding with her. The arrangement is especially satisfactory to the children.

That is the situation in a few strokes. The physicians and the authorities satisfied themselves as to the cause of my wife's death. If they made a mistake I still demand that the case be fully investigated. I shall ask the authorities to exhume the body and perform an autopsy and officially determine what was the cause of my wife's death.

DR. BROWN TELLS HOW HE FOUND MRS. HALL DEAD

Worcester, May 2.—How he was called upon to attend Mrs. Attie Bostwick Hall in her last illness, how he arrived after she was dead and why he made no more than a superficial examination of the dead woman's body is set forth in the following statement by Dr. Brown:

By Dr. Windsor A. Brown.

Although I was called to attend Mrs Hall, I did not get to the house until after she was dead. I received a telephone call early Saturday morning, February 29, last, and immediately went to the residence of the Halls. When I got there Mrs. Hall had been dead for some minutes.

She was lying on the couch where she had placed herself after she had been carried in from the floor where she had fallen. I at once examined her pulse, but found none. I put a mirror before her face and made tests with my stethoscope. The woman was dead.

I had been there to attend her earlier in the month, but I could not connect this with her death in any way. I asked Mr Hall about his wife, and he told me that she was subject to neuralgia. From for this reason I at once inferred that she had died as the result of one of these spells. Mr. Hall told me that his wife had a severe spell some time before and I knew that Dr Whittaker was the attending physician, so I did not make no care-ful an examination as I would had the patient been one of my own.

When I got back to my office I telephoned the medical examiner and stated the circumstances to him. I told him that the woman had recently had medical treatment, but that I could not find that it had any connection whatever with her death. He said he did not see any reason why he should make any investigation or even view the body.

I could not tell whether or not the woman had been poisoned. There was no reason for suspicion so far as I knew, and I treated it as an ordinary case. I did not look for any symptoms of poisoning, because I had no reason for doing so. I could not say that she was not poisoned."

EXHUMATION PERMIT IS ALREADY MADE OUT

South Londonderry, Vt., May 2.—The permit for the exhumation of the body of Mrs. Attie Bostwick Hall, of Worcester, Mass., whose friends say she was poisoned, has been signed and is only awaiting the official orders from the Worcester authorities to have the body taken up and an autopsy performed and the viscera examined by chemists.

Sheriff J. Washington Melendy of South Londonderry, said to-day to a Boston Sunday American reporter:

"I know all the parties in this affair well. The inquiry into the cause of the death of Mrs. Attie Hall who is buried in this town, will be proceeded with according to the law, which in Vermont is simplified form.

"They may exhume and examine the body after signing the application to the South Londonderry Board of Health and the Superintendent of Cemetery. In the present case the superintendent, Loyal Berwick, is the son of the dead woman. I understand Mr. Bostwick is very much interested in determining the exact cause of his daughter's death."

Michael Feinsilver of E. Millington of South London-derry, knows both the Bostwick and Hall families very well. He said:

"I was rather surprised, in view of all that was reported here, that no effort was made earlier to determine the cause of death."

BROTHER SAYS, "I'M SURE MY SISTER WAS POISONED"

Worcester, May 2.—Edward R. Bostwick of No. 70 Russell street, Worcester, brother of Mrs Attie Maud Bostwick Hall, who has been most active in demanding that an investigation be made into the death of his sister, was seen by a reporter for the Boston Sunday American to-day.

Mr. Bostwick declined to discuss the strange circumstances surrounding her death last February, believing that his sister was poisoned. Ever since she died, on Saturday, February 29, he has been quietly investigating, spurred on by his suspicious nature. He has been informed of all the circumstances leading up to and following the death of his sister.

Just why he believes his sister was the victim of a poison plot and what led him to prosecute a long and secret investigation before he divulged a word of it to any one he had learned Mr. Bostwick disclosed in a detailed statement to a reporter for the Boston Sunday American.

By Edward R. Bostwick.

I am convinced that my sister was poisoned.

The doctor who was called to the day she died, but who did not get to the house until after she had passed away, gave the cause of death as heart trouble. Attie never had had the least sign of heart trouble. I do not think that she died from that cause.

It seems to me very strange that Attie should die immediately after drinking a glass of porter.

Ever since my sister's death I've wanted this thing investigated, but people with whom I have consulted told me that it would cost a small fortune and that it wouldn't bring my sister back to life anyway.

Now I have determined to have everything done that can be done to reveal just what she died of and to solve, if we may say that I feel sure surrounds this whole affair.

Just a short time after my sister died I went to see Dr. Brown, who had called when she was dying, but who got there soon it was all over. I asked Dr. Brown if he noticed any symptoms of poisoning. He told me he didn't look for any symptoms.

He told me he was told at the house that my sister was sick from heart trouble frequently, so he thought that that was the cause of her death. When I told him of my suspicions he said he wished that he had brought a certain surgical instrument along with him when he first called.

Another thing that makes me want my sister's death investigated is the fact that the thing else is the fact that the body was not examined by the medical examiner when she died in Dr. Clark, who is acting in Dr Baker's place while he is in Europe, took Dr Brown's opinion, as he said that he didn't see any reason why he should investigate the death and he didn't.

My sister, Mrs. Cora Van Dyke, insisted that my sister's death be investigated at the time. I felt just as she did, as I have said and I would have had it done then when we got to South Londonderry, but I delayed for fear of my mother's health. Now I am determined to have the truth out

FELL GROANING ON THE FLOOR AFTER TAKING PORTER, SAYS SON

Worcester, May 2.—Leon Hall, a fifteen year-old son and the favorite child of Mrs Hall, tells this story of his mother's death

"I got up Saturday morning a little after 7, just before my father went to work. I was sitting on the edge of my bed and was nearly all dressed. I was all done but one shoe, and I was tying that when I heard my mother say to my father, 'you haven't given me my porter yet.' Father went and got it and gave it to her. Just before that she asked pop not a go to work until 8 o'clock. Pape said that he was got to work.

"Then pape started for work, and was on his way down stairs when I heard momma get up. She came towards the window next to my room. She was holding her hand to her side and said she had an awful pain there. Then she told me to run and get my father. Just then she said, 'Never mind, I want you,' and fell to the floor groaning.

"I ran down stairs after my father, but when I got to the street he was running up the street car. I did not find me. Then he got on a car a little ways down the street. I came back to the house and telephoned for the doctors. My mother telephoned to two others before my father works, and by the time I got back pape as my mother was taking her last breath.

"Once before my mother had a bad spell like that. It turned her hands purple and she fingers got black around the finger nails. She took too much of one kind of medicine, the doctor said, and it made her sick. Dr Whittaker came to the house and she got better.

"Mama always took pills or porter in the morning. She had been taking them perhaps always used to fix it for her before he went to work."

French Scientist Photographs Soul of His Dying Wife?

Dr. Baraduc Declares Corpse Is Surrounded by Globe of Visible Ether for Eighty Hours.

Paris, May 2.—Dr. Baraduc, a French scientist, famed through his investigations of occult things, declares that he possesses photograph, taken by himself, of the departing soul of his wife at the time of her death. His claim has startled the world of science.

Alleging that he is neither a Spiritualist or a doctrinaire, Dr. Baraduc says man is surrounded by an atmosphere of personal ether. This ether surrounds every one dies, he says, sometimes as long afterward as eighty hours and accordingly no longer than that. There is no such thing as a phantom

Dr. Baraduc declares when his wife died he photographed a globulous [illegible] cloud from over like a [illegible] does not belong to this planet only, the d[illegible] holds, but to the starry spaces in which his thoughts revolve.

BABY SCALDED TO DEATH.

Wapakoneta, May 2.—While walking backward, the four year old daughter of Fred Anderson, of west of town, fell into a tub of boiling water. Though literally boiled from head to foot, she lived twenty-four hours.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

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Have no terrors for anyone who has used Ramleon's Colic Cure. Its invariably relieves colic in a few minutes. Ramleon's Cure is a specific for indigestion, dyspepsia, diarrhoea and a hundred everyday ills. Always beneficial. Avoid substitutes.

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Woman's Grave, Vermont Officials, Her Brother and Sorrowing Father

MRS. ATTIE BOSTWICK HALL'S GRAVE IN SOUTH LONDONDERRY, VT.
SHERIFF OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, OF SOUTH LONDONDERRY, VT.
E. F. WILLINGTON, M.D. MEDICAL EXAMINER
EDWARD R. BOSTWICK
ROYAL BOSTWICK

Above are shown sheriff and medical examiner at South Londonderry, who are waiting word to exhume her body, and two of her nearest relatives active in demanding investigation of case.

PLYMOUTH WRECK TIES UP TRAFFIC

Plymouth, May 2.—All trains to and from this town were held up for about three hours this afternoon, following the wreck of a timber attached to a locomotive tender yards here. Spreading rails were given as the cause of the accident. The tender careened over on the side, completely blocking both tracks.

WOMAN FRIEND TELLS HOW MRS. HALL DIED

Mrs. L. H. Sampson, Long a Neighbor, Describes Agony of Woman's Last Hours.

Worcester, May 2.—Mrs. L. H. Sampson of No. 456 Park avenue, with whom the Halls lived prior to their removing to No. 465 Park avenue, for years a confidant of Mrs Attie Maud Bostwick Hall, and who was with Mrs. Hall when she died so mysteriously last February, to-day described the tragedy for readers of the Boston Sunday American. Her statement follows:

By Mrs. L. H. Sampson.

Mrs. Attie Hall was infatuated with her husband. She loved him devotedly. She was really childish about her love for him.

From the time that Mrs Hall first lived in our house she was a constant visitor in our flat.

Although the doctor who came to attend her the morning she died said that her death was caused by heart trouble, I had never heard her complain of it. She had only trouble with her heart in at long years and I heard part. I am sure that she would have told me if she had had any trouble in that part. She never came to me when she was sick. She was not a woman that I knew of, but just had ordinary good health.

Groaned as in Great Pain.

The morning before she died she was in the best of spirits. That day I remember she said a big washing house, and she couldn't see me to be happy. The first I knew of her being sick was when Mrs Hall, the boy, Leon, came to call me early in the morning.

That was between 7.30 and 7.40. I remember the time, because my husband had just gone to work. When Leon told me that his mother was sick I hurried over to the [illegible] and Mrs. Hall [illegible] on the floor. [illegible] stove and the mantel. One of the boys had tried to put her on the couch, but had not succeeded in getting her up. I was on her side. Then I ran down stairs and telephoned for Dr. Whittaker. Dr. Whittaker told me that he wasn't up yet and that I would better call another physician. I ran back upstairs and tried as [illegible] to get Mrs Hall up on the lounge. [illegible]

All of this time Mrs Hall was groaning as though she was in the greatest of pain, her tongue was out, licking the air, and she seemed to me to be trying to get water. She seemed to be going through convortions, but her hands were under her body and she couldn't get them out. I managed to turn her over a little more than I had at first, and then ran down stairs again and once more telephoned for Dr. Whittaker.

Limbs Became Rigid.

I told Dr Whittaker that Mrs Hall was dying, and he told me I had better get another doctor, as he couldn't get there in time to do any good. I then asked what I should do for her, and he said to put her on the couch and to give her a drink and to sprinkle water on her face and hands.

I got two small glasses of water and tried to get her to drink. She [illegible] lick up the water but her tongue seemed to be pressed up in her mouth. She was in the greatest agony all of this time and was groaning continually.

Mrs. Hall died, the oldest son and I lifted her to the couch. As I took hold of her limbs I noticed that [illegible] were quite rigid, but she was [illegible] We got her on the couch, where she died in a very short time. I was with her every moment of her death and held her whole body became rigid.

Just before she died, her husband, Mr [illegible] came in the house. He came to the couch, opened her eyes with his fingers and said: "Attie, I'm here. Don't you know me?"

The woman was dead even then, but he went [illegible] and telephoned for more doctors.

In the meantime two doctors whom I've been told telephoned for some time was in the house and the other one I didn't know. He soon went up to Mrs Hall, tried her pulse, held a mirror in front of her face and then put a stethoscope to her ears.

Knew of No Heart Trouble.

Then Mr Hall told the doctor that his wife was subject to heart troubles, and the doctor said that after this Hall came to me and asked if I would stay a while, as he was going out, and I did so until [illegible] came back. After this Hall came to me and asked if I would stay a while, as he was going out, and I did so until his brother, Mr. Bostwick, came. Then I left the house.

Almost a week after that afternoon I to body was sent to the undertaker's rooms.

As I said, I never knew that Mrs Hall had heart trouble. Mrs Hall's death came as a great surprise to me, for I never thought that she was the least bit [illegible] the statement that she had been out [illegible] heart trouble, I know to be [illegible]

RECORD OF DEATHS BY GAS FOR YEAR--148

Commissioners' Report Shows But Fifteen Died by Electricity.

There were 148 fatal cases of gas poisoning in Massachusetts during the year ending June 30, 1907, according to the report of the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners just issued. Of these 133 were due to illuminating gas.

The gas poisoning cases were divided [illegible] 117 in the city proper and 16 in the suburbs during the period. About one half of the cases were [illegible] Fifteen deaths were due to electricity and fifteen persons received non-fatal [illegible] shocks.

SHOT BY HOLDUP MEN.

Newark, May 2.—Pire masked men held up Joseph Pistre on the railway track between 34th street and the Shawnee bridge and after going through his clothes in search of money shot him through the arm and knocked him down with a billy to put her on the couch and to give her

Legal Stamps of Course

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A particularly interesting sale of Women's stylish wear at special prices.

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ONLY 20 SUITS.

Sizes for misses as well as women. Blue and brown serge with fine stripes. Prince Chap coats, self trimmed and satin lined; skirts have thirteen gores with fold of self. Bargains that will be snapped up in a hurry—so be here early.

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Sizes for misses as well as women. Plain panama cloth and invisible herringbone stripes in such colors as blue, black and brown; the coats are hip lengths in new Prince Chap models; skirts are plaited, having fifteen gores and wide fold

Skirt Bargain

Another special price making on regular $7.50 skirts. Fifteen gore plaited models with two folds, trimmed down front with one row of buttons; extra fine panama, in black, blue, brown, come in regular sizes only 5.98

Jumper Suits

Making a cut price on regular $4.50 values. Gingham in black and white stripes and checks; waist trimmed with tucks and buttons, thirteen gore full flare skirts with two three inch folds on bottom 2.98

12.50 Coats Special at 9.95

Thirty-two inch semi-fitting coats as shown in centre illustration, which is an exact copy of the original. 9.95 The material is a heavy-weight panama in a guaranteed black, lined throughout with striped taffeta silk.

Very Latest in Hats

NEW MONTE CARLO HATS; INSTEAD OF $5 YOU PAY 3.98

This is Wolf's price, remember—you won't find them anywhere else for so small a sum. Made of fine straw faced with taffeta silk; trimmed with large American Beauty roses and foliage. Like the cut.

LADY GAY HATS; REAL $7 VALUES 5.98

Milan straw in black and burnt amber shades; trimmings consist of embroidered band, two folds of velvet and a large fancy bird.

Two New Petticoats

REGULAR $1 GINGHAM PETTICOATS MARKED 79c

Pretty new summer style in a most serviceable grade of gingham in blue stripes only; cut very full in flare as shown by illustration; finished with a deep flounce and wide ruffle.

MERRY WIDOW PETTICOATS 1.49

Very stunning and decidedly new. Fancy striped sateen in black blue, brown; deep flounces trimmed with wide bands to match. Regular $2.00 values.

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The very newest thing in veils. Large dotted chiffon in all black, black dots on white, brown dots on brown. Instead of 50c., as in other stores, we make the price per yard 25c

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"MY CLOTHIER"

Hanover and Portland Streets

Lace Coat Sets

Pretty showing of elaborate designs in new white laces. Collars are made very wide, some of the cuffs are straight and wide, others are made narrow in pointed effects. Usual 75c values 59c

SISTER FINDS HER BROTHER, LOST FOR OVER 35 YEARS

Had Lived Within 79 Miles of Each Other; New Appeals to Tracer.

Separated for thirty-five years, Mrs. Ab- drew Anderson of No. 21 [illegible] Road street, Fall River, and her brother, James Elliot of Lawrence [illegible] reunited through the [illegible] ing Lost Persons of the Boston Sun- day American. For [illegible] and sister have lived within [illegible] each other, but never [illegible] sister's appeal [illegible] can be found for information [illegible] the letters are [illegible] are happy and both [illegible] to the surprise.

Sends Note of Thanks

Mrs. Anderson [illegible] ing her brother, but without success. [illegible] she appealed [illegible] a letter of thanks [illegible]

"I was [illegible] to make another trial [illegible] paper. I [illegible] the result. Mr. Brother has [illegible] Lawrence thirty-two years. We have been [illegible] so near to each other, and all [illegible] to be together [illegible] courage others to [illegible] Bureau. I sincerely [illegible] valuable paper and may [illegible] success."

Miss Stewart, Kelly, of Portland, Me. asked the Boston American [illegible] following persons [illegible] to the missing [illegible] Stewart, whose [illegible] was noted receiver [illegible]

Heeds Father's Dying Words.

Dear Jessie. If this letter in the Bos- ton Sunday American [illegible] your eye, please write to me. The members of the family have all passed away but three: Your mother, father and sister are dead; and your brother Sandy, was killed in a wreck. Your father's dying words were: "Try to find Jessie and bring her back home."

Not the old home has broken up years ago. I have a home and the doors are open to you any time if you will only come back. If you went on the stage and changed your name or [illegible] won't let you come to it, write to me and I will go to the end of the earth to [illegible] and help you if I can.

Long Sought in Vain.

"I have tried many, many times to find you, but in vain. I heard eight years ago that you were back in Toronto and [illegible] tried. I went there and called on [illegible] Fitzgeralds, but they could give me [illegible] information about you. Had I [illegible] about the Boston Sunday American [illegible] Tracer Bureau I should have tried it [illegible] fore and believe I would have found [illegible] long ago.

"I think often of the good times we had together [illegible] years ago. I [illegible] help thinking of you and all that has happened since you went away. I am in Portland and when [illegible] would wish to come [illegible] your darling sister Jessie.

Stewart Kelly.

Mrs. Bridget Laughlin, Murphy of Sayleville, [illegible] anxious to find [illegible] her sister, Mrs. Margaret, and her brother, John Laughton. When she last heard of them Mrs. Murphy was living in Manchester, England. That was years ago. Mrs. Laughton and the latter's son lived in Ireland, but came to America and set- tled in West Troy.

Last Saw Them in '61.

J. F. Linden of Island Pond, Vt., who is searching for his mother, two sisters and one brother, asks that the following [illegible] be printed:

"My father's name was [illegible] Linden, born in Manchester, England. [illegible] maiden name was Susan Burton of Hartford. She was born in Vermont. I was born in Sandwich, Mass., October 13, 1848. My father died in South Boston on March 16, 1861, leaving my mother, two sisters, my brother and myself.

"I was placed in an orphan asylum at No. 44 Kneeland street, Boston, in the spring of 1861. I was taken from there to Island Pond, Vt., in July of the same year. Since then I have heard nothing from any of my family and I am very anxious to locate them."

John Kelly of No. 16 Neptune avenue, West Lynn, Mass., is trying to locate Al- fred Arthur McCurdy, John McVey, Prudence McCurdy, Lillian and Fanny Mc- Curdy, and Minnie, now Mrs. James Pain. The latter, in 1888, lived in Boston. The others were last heard from in South of Beverley, in 1884.

Will Send Information.

A few weeks ago, in London Mrs. [illegible] met Mrs. A. H. Thompson of [illegible] sister of H. L. Stebbins, a [illegible] Exchange Building, and [illegible] of the young man [illegible] Forney Stebbins will receive [illegible] to Miss Paul any information [illegible] his whereabouts.

PERSONS REPORTED TO TRACER BUREAU OF MISSING PERSONS

Information of the whereabouts of the following persons is anxiously sought by friends whose names are given below:

Wagner, Robert.—Formerly lived on Lex- ington street, East Boston. Went away three years ago and [illegible] is reported that [illegible] working for Mr. Wagner, [illegible] was in Boston [illegible] Princeton, also [illegible]

Mandy, Lorenzo.—Formerly lived in Bos- ton. Was [illegible] age and [illegible] Any one [illegible] wanted to [illegible] Brookline [illegible]

Linden, Mrs. John and Family.—[illegible] Island Pond, Vt. Formerly lived on Bar- ton. Was a native of Vermont. Her husband, born in England, died in 1861 or [illegible]

SMASHES ALL JAIL SPEED RECORDS

Pittsburg, May 2.—All speed records were broken at the Allegheny County Jail last night, and to Frank Miller belongs the honor of running on a new record. At 8 o'clock he was committed to jail in charge of assault and battery preferred by Harry Abel, a negro. Twenty-five minutes later he was taken to Alderman Frankel's office in Wylie avenue by Constable Wy- chinsky to sign a bail bond. At the Alder- man's office Miller and Wychinsky became engaged in an argument during which Mil- ler is said to have struck the constable down. At 8:45 o'clock Miller was back in jail with another charge of assault and battery against him. The new holds the championship for rapid-fire commitments.

ANTS-ANTEVERT

Awaking from their Winter lethargy the restless hordes of the ant family will soon emerge from their winter quarters to seek new pastures for the coming summer. If your home is to your liking you will have the ant nuisance to contend with. To those who have suffered the forced companionship of this repulsive pest no word of our is necessary to reinforce their resolution to keep their premises uncontaminated in the future. The most propitious time to take measures for their riddance is now, and mindful of this fact we call your attention to the unique powers with which ANTS-ANTEVERT is endowed. We can confidently suggest that intelligent consideration of the matter would preclude the possibility of using our powder.

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APPEAL TO AMERICAN READERS IN HUNT FOR MAN AMONG MISSING

GEORGE HOWARTH

South Boston. Information wanted of one of the family by J. F. Linden, Island Pond, Vt.

Vaughton, Mrs. and John [illegible] came to America and settled [illegible] Bridget Murphy Saylesville, [illegible]

Paul, William J. Also known as William M. Paul. Was seen in Long Branch, [illegible] in 1901. Information wanted by [illegible] Paul, 44 Kneeland street, Boston, Mass.

La Perriere, Henry. Twenty-one years ago [illegible] Montreal, Can., to Boston, Mass. Information wanted by Mrs. [illegible] Island Pond, Vt.

Howarth, George [illegible] for [illegible] Howarth, Island Pond, Vt.

Cameau, Charles Peter left his home [illegible] Feb. 28, 1903. He has been [illegible] Dr. [illegible] Information wanted by Mrs. [illegible] Portland, Me.

White, William J. [illegible] years old, [illegible] 5 feet 9 inches tall, [illegible] and dark complexion and black curly hair, about 5 feet 7 inches tall and weighs 138 pounds. Last seen at South Boston in July, 1897. He left there [illegible] Information wanted by his sister, Helen Mar Gilchrist, No. 10 Anderson street, Portland, Me.

McDonald, John J.—Twenty-three years [illegible] and dark complexion and black curly hair about 5 feet 7 inches tall and weighs 138 pounds. Last seen at South Boston in July, 1897. He left there [illegible] Information wanted by his sister, Louise J. McDonald, No. 109 College avenue, West Somerville, Mass.

O'Neill, Arthur [illegible] left [illegible] Rockland, Me., [illegible] Information wanted by [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Rockland, Me.

Gilchrist, Beulah G. [illegible] West [illegible] 1883 and when last heard from [illegible] Minn. Information wanted by his sister, Helen Mar Gilchrist, No. 10 Anderson street, Portland, Me.

CLASS ORGANIZES FOR GAELIC STUDY

Students of the Irish Language to Meet Weekly Through the Summer.

For the purpose of keeping alive the Gaelic class of the Boston Central Evening High School a number of the pupils, under the leadership of Patrick J. O'Daly, the [illegible] eran Gaelic teacher, have effected an or- ganization by the election of Patrick H. Brogan, president; Mrs. Annie M. Mahoney, secretary, and Miss Mary A. [illegible] treasurer.

At a recent meeting of the [illegible] it was announced that the Mayor [illegible] Boston had given permission [illegible] scholars of Boston to [illegible] high school building on [illegible] every Thursday evening [illegible] for the prosecution of [illegible] language and history of [illegible]

The new class has been named the "William Forbis" Gaelic class, in honor of the legendary king and [illegible] who ruled Ireland and Scotland [illegible]

Patrick J. O'Daly, teacher [illegible] during the high school term, [illegible] to instruct the class during [illegible] weekly meetings free of [illegible] during the high school term, [illegible] twenty two got certificates for [illegible] in study of the Irish language [illegible] two other certificates for a knowledge of Irish history were awarded.

EXPECT HISGEN TO HEAD INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE'S DELEGATION TO CONVENTION

State Gathering to Be Held In Faneuil Hall Next Saturday Afternoon.

Faneuil Hall will be the scene of the Independence League State Convention next Saturday afternoon, and in the evening many of the delegates and other Leaguers will banquet at the Quincy House.

John Temple Graves of Georgia, the famous editor and orator of the South, has received an invitation to address the convening and speak at the banquet.

A rousing meeting will be made this afternoon and evening by the committee on arrangements, which will be in session at the headquarters, Room No. 348 Ames Building, from 4 to 6 o'clock. The Boston City Committee is planning the dinner, and members and [illegible] leaders are invited to attend the [illegible] The committee hopes and [illegible] news on the tentative programme and [illegible] Arrangements for the State convention [illegible] in the hands of the Executive Commit- tee and have practically been completed [illegible] chairman of the committee will an- [illegible] final plans for the banquet will be made [illegible] committee members in a few days. It has [illegible] Richard A. Hinckley of Springfield act as the permanent chair- man.

It is conceded that Thomas L. Hisgen will head the delegation of the Massa- chusetts League to the Chicago convention [illegible] and the 28 from the [illegible] thirteen districts will all be selected at [illegible] State convention. There are many [illegible] candidates for the honor of attending the [illegible] national meeting of the new party, [illegible] particular interest is being manifested in [illegible] has been gaining since the [illegible] began as the candidate for president and [illegible] Massachusetts Leaguers are only wait- [illegible] for the word from him to extend the [illegible] to the limit.

In an interview with a reporter for the Boston Sunday American, Mr. Hisgen said: "I don't know just what to think about all this boosting that I am receiving for the nomination for President. Of course, I would much rather run again for Gover- nor on the Independence League ticket. I think Mr. Hearst is the man who should lead the party in the national campaign.

"Sometimes I feel this must be a dream, when I think that only three years ago I was unknown as a political factor and unheard of as a candidate for any of- fice. I had no aspiration then to even be a mere viewer, and if anybody had ever told me that I would be nominated for State auditor I would have run away, in fear that that person was not quite right in the head. But two years ago I was the Independence League candidate for State auditor.

"If anyone had told me three years ago that I would ever be a candidate for Governor, I would have warned that per- son's friends to watch and restrain him. But I have had the great honor and dis- tinction of being the League candidate for that office. I did not do so very badly either.

"I should certainly be overwhelmed if I should become the League candidate for President, but I would not shirk the call if it should come to me. I want it dis- tinctly borne in mind, however, that my choice is the nomination for President is Mr. Hearst, and I hope we can see him [illegible] to take it from us.

The State convention will undoubtedly demand a speech from Mr. Hisgen, and the delegates will want to know if he has [illegible] how he feels about the Presidential nomination. He has agreed to respond to a toast at the banquet. He has several in- vitations to speak the coming week, but has decided to decline them all in order to give his entire time to his boosting and be free to attend the convention and banquet next Saturday.

Among the other prominent Leaguers who have been invited to speak at the Quincy House gathering are Charles E. Sherlock, chairman of the New York coun- ty committee of the Independence League; Judge Alexander E. Smith of New York and James H. O'Neill, chairman of the Rhode Island State committee of the League. John J. Walsh, Boston lawyer and orator, has accepted an invitation to re- spond to the toast, "The non-partisan in politics."

Tickets for the banquet may be pur- chased at the headquarters, 348 Old South Building, and from William C. Johnson, at the City Hall drug store on School street.

John Temple Graves, eloquent South- ern orator, will address State Conven- tion of Massachusetts Independence League.

PRESIDENT EATON SMALLPOX VICTIM

Beloit, Wis., May 2.—President Eaton of Beloit College has a mild case of small- pox, and is quarantined, as are fifteen girls, mostly freshmen, inmates of Stowe Cottage. Dr. Eaton trusts much, and seems to be limit- ted the disease from another locality.

JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES TO SPEAK AT GATHERING AND AT BANQUET IN EVENING.

PE-RU-NA AS A TONIC AND BLOOD PURIFIER.

In Spring and Early Summer a Tonic is Needed.

Mrs. Paul Casavant Writes From 219 Monroe Street, Topeka, Kansas, Concerning Peruna. Read Her Letter Below:

Mrs. Emily Kellogg, 5649 S. Lawrence St., South Tacoma, Wash., Gives Her Experience With Peruna. Read Her Letter Below:

MRS PAUL CASAVANT.

MRS. EMILY M. LOGG

The source of good blood is fresh air and well-aerated food. If anything interferes with diges- tion the blood becomes impure.

A catarrhal condition of the stomach prevents perfect digestion. Such a condition allows the food to ferment and decompose in various ways, kind of digesting. The blood is thus contaminated with various materials that do not belong in the kind.

This gives rise to spring fever, eruptions on skin, general lassitude and constipation.

Peruna corrects all these difficulties by acting at the source of them. By eradicating the ca- tarrhal condition of the stomach Peruna at once stores digestion, the blood is thereby purified, and the whole machinery of the body is put in workingder.

Peruna has probably made a more remarkable word in cases of catarrh of the stomach than any other medicine. These cases are very frequent, and we have a host of testimonials in which Peruna has received lavish praise for prompt and permanent relief in cases of catarrh of the stomach.

MR. CALEB H. BORTELL.

MR. WILLIAM HOGE.

Mrs Paul Casavant, 219 Munroe street, Topeka, Kansas, writes:

"I have found Peruna very effective in re- storing my health and strength after I had been worn out and run down for a long time.

"I began to use it about six months ago when I was unable to leave my bed.

"My nervous system was shattered and I was daily losing flesh and strength.

"This condition was completely altered af- ter a few bottles of Peruna had been used, and I kept on using it until I was finally re- stored to perfect health and had gained about fifteen pounds.

"I feel so grateful for what your medicine has done for me that I am pleased to give it my hearty endorsement, and shall always be glad to speak a good word for it."

Mrs. Emily Kellogg, 5649 S. Lawrence St., S. Tacoma, Wash., member of the Ladies of the Maccabees, writes:

"Three months ago I had an attack of bil- lousness which threatened to undermine my health and strength.

"Luckily for me, I tried Peruna at the sug- gestion of my friends before it was too late.

"I found in a few days' time that I did not have the usual sick headache, neither did food nauseate as any longer.

"In two weeks' time Peruna had complete- ly rid my system of the poison and bile, and I was in a much better condition. My skin assumed its normal color, I had a splendid appetite and I was in every way improved in health.

"I used Peruna for a month longer and it wrought a wondrous change in my entire system."

Tones up the System.

Mrs. William McRoberts, Waverly, Minn., writes:

"I am perfectly well of the catarrh. I took Peruna and Manalin. I recom- mend your medicine to every one and cannot praise it enough. It is a fine medicine to take any season of the year. Taken in the spring it tones up the system and acts as a gentle stimu- lant."

A Good Tonic.

Mr. Joe Leonard, Flat 3, 232 Allen St., Buffalo, N. Y., writes:

"I have good reason to endorse Pe- runa, as I have found it a good tonic, stimulating the system and sustaining it under great pressure, imparting un- usual endurance and enabling me to work much longer and harder than the system could possibly do were it not for the great powers with which it en- dowed me. It gives one nerves of iron."

Mr. Caleb H. Bortell, Police Officer, 212 North Paca street, Baltimore, Md., writes:

"For several years I was troubled with catarrh of the head, throat and stomach. Many times I would vomit before and after eating.

"I took seven bottles of your Peruna, and I am glad to say that it has cured me.

"I feel more like living and working, and am not bothered at all with my old troubles.

"I take great pleasure in recommending Peruna to all sufferers with catarrh, and I thank you for what you have done for me, for none but those who have suffered as I have can appreciate a great cure as I have found Peruna to be."

Pain in Chest.

Mrs. A. W. Gustin, 5209 Lake Ave., St. Joseph, Mo., writes: "When I be- gan taking Peruna I had quite a severe pain and ache in the left of my chest. I suffered a great deal with it.

"I wrote to Dr. Hartman and asked him what I should do. He advised my taking Peruna, which I did. I took three bottles, and I can say I am cured.

"Thanks for kind advice and Peruna."

Splendid for La Grippe.

Mr. Frank H. Felder, 213 Pleasant Ave., Montgomery, Ala., formerly prin- cipal of Haynesville High School, writes:

"I can truthfully say that Peruna is a splendid remedy for la grippe, and a good tonic for building up the system."

Mr. William Hoge, President Commercial Travelers' Association, 280 Broadway, New York, N. Y., writes:

"I endorse Peruna as the most effectual remedy for catarrh I have been able to find in my travels in this country or Europe. I can truly say that I have spent thousands of dollars in this country alone trying to find a cure, and it was not until I was induced to give Peruna a trial that I obtained anything like permanent relief. As a tonic it is simply great. It ought to be on the grip of every commercial traveler on the road. It cured my wife as well as myself. We have not had the slightest symp- tom of catarrh for a long time."

In a later letter Mr. Hoge says: "I have used Peruna for many years, never without a bottle in my grip. I am the youngest feeling and young- est looking man of my age in New York, which I think is entirely due to Peruna."

Hay Fever and Catarrh.

Miss Maynne E. Smith, 444 East Mound St., Columbus, Ohio, writes: "Have used Peruna for catarrh and hay fever. The results being remark- able, I can highly recommend it to all who are suffering with the above dis- eases. I am happy to be able to say it has helped me wonderfully."

Eyes Red and Watery.

Mr. William S. Hearn, 1063 Segal St., Camden, N. J., writes:

"For about two years I was troubled with my eyes being red and watery, and my general health was very poor.

"Finally, a friend advised me to try Peruna. I had tried almost everything else and purchased a bottle of Peruna and commenced to take it at once, and before I had finished the first bottle I found I was improving.

"I wrote to you for medical advice con- cerning my eyes, which I received. I continued to take the Peruna until I had used six bottles.

"Now my eyes are absolutely well, and I feel like a new man in every way.

"I honestly advise any one similarly afflicted to try Peruna."

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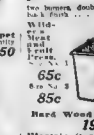

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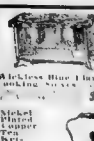

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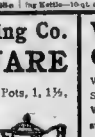

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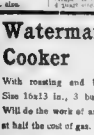

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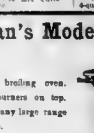

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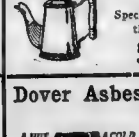

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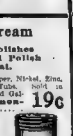

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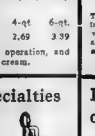


Demonstration and Special Sale of Curtain Stretchers---Continued

Our Style No. 1. 89c

2 yards wide, 4 yards long, with pin marked points, nickel trimmed, painted end. Our regular price after this sale will be $1.00

Chicago Curtain Stretcher Co.'s "Ideal" Curtain Stretcher has top and bottom side bars permanently bolted to centre brace. They are made to fold up like a jack knife. When not in use the stretcher can be stored away on a shelf in closet.

We have a complete line of high grade stretchers with movable pins.

The Universal Household Helps

Universal Bread Mixers The only way to raise light real cold homemade bread. Takes 2 minutes. We are showing a new size, makes 2 loaves. Price $1.25

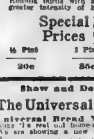
Size No. 4 at..... $1.50
Size No. 6 at..... $1.75
Universal Cake Mixer..... $4.75
Universal Meat Choppers, chop all raw meats, vegetables, drinks coffee or pulverizes cracker crumbs. Have No. 0, 1, 2 and 3 at.

Prices, $1.10, $1.35 & $1.85

The "Universal" Coffee Percolator makes perfect coffee by actual test—saves by boiling, and retaining all the aroma of the coffee bean. Enamel Ware, blue outside.

4 Cups	$2.50
6 Cups	$2.90
8 Cups	$3.50
10 Cups	$4.00

Operates successfully on any stove or gas range.



Show and Demonstration of

"The Twentieth Century" Bottle Coolers

"XXth Century" Bottle Coolers for bottles and demijohns. A perfect means for drying liquids without breaking them into contact with the box.

Made of Indurated Fibre Ware.

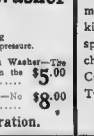
The "XXth Century" Bottle Cooler comprises an indurated fiber container, perforated for water percolation, with a suitable fixture arranged to support a bottle or demijohn containing the liquid to be cooled. The water kept at the right temperature for drinking, but under no circumstances ever comes into contact with the ice.

3-Gallon Bottle Cooler and Stand for $7.50
5-Gallon Bottle Cooler and Stand for $10.00
5-Gallon Cooler, without stand, for $3.00
7-Gallon Cooler, without stand, for $3.50

ICE WATER COOLERS

Pure Faucet, Indurated Fibre.

5-gallon. Special..... $1.25 | 7-gallon. Special. $2.00
9-gallon. Special..... $1.50 | 12-gallon. Special. $2.50



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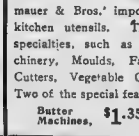
Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons

Coldbrookdale Iron Co's Mrs. Potts' Nickel Plated Sad Irons



Coldbrookdale's Iron Co's Sleeve Iron

A Nickel Plated Sleeve or Flounce Iron—Special at, each. During this sale..... **25c**

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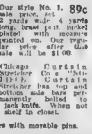

The new wonder; makes old things look new; a surface food for pianos, furniture, carriages, autos, etc.; also for hardwood floors. 4 oz. bottle at..... **21c**

Applied with a cloth

Special Price During This Show and Demonstration.

FREE SAMPLE FOR THE ASKING

Ice Boxes and Refrigerators

We sell the widest line of the Alaska Refrigerating Co. It contains 11 styles, in solid and quartered oak, and all sizes. Its solid construction and perfect circulation of cold dry air in refrigerators. These splendid refrigerators are constructed upon lines of best and most sanitary principles.

FROST KING REFRIGERATORS, Zinc Lined.
ICELAND REFRIGERATORS, Zinc Lined.
ICELAND REFRIGERATORS, Enamel Lined.
ICELAND REFRIGERATORS, Opalite Lined.
ICELAND REFRIGERATORS, Porcelain Lined.
FORD REFRIGERATORS, All opalite inside and outside.
FORD REFRIGERATORS, Opalite Lined.

GROCERIES--SUGAR--25-lb. Cotton Sack Fine Granulated With GROCERY ORDERS $1.19 Amounting to $2.00 or More

The Annual May Festival Sale—A Saving of 25 to 35% on Pure Foods—Mail orders filled everywhere—Telephone orders, Oxford 2600—Visit the new Luncheon Annex, Grocery Dept.

Hams—2,000 Armour's Star Sugar Cured Hams, U. S. Government inspected. Every ham guaranteed sweet and delicious, 11 to 12 lbs. each. Worth 16c, special..... **11¾c**

Indian Meal—Best granulated yellow corn meal, 100-lb. sack $2.19, 25-lb. sack 60c, 10 lbs. **25c**

5-Oz Tea Tins—200 sheets of assorted high-grade tea, all blends, worth from 50c to 75c. For this sale only..... **35c**

10 lbs. $3.00, 5 lbs. $1.60, lb. **35c**

Pure Rice Molasses—For making gingerbread, etc. Special, gallon **45c**

10 lbs. **$1.75**

Henry Siegel Co.—Fifth Floor.

Red Kidney Beans—375 cans Jean of Arc brand, red kidney beans, packed in the finest Virginia Canning Co.'s tomato sauce. Extra choice. Special dozen $1.15, No. 3 can..... **10c**

Prunes—1 car (80,000 lbs.) fancy Sun's Clara Valley prunes, medium small size. Fit more purines and be healthy. Special, 50-lb. box $2.85, 10 lbs. **5¾c**

Stove Polish—X-Cel. No. 6 10-cent size package, special **3½c**

Sweet Corn—2,000 cases Southern sweet corn, cans well filled, guaranteed under the National Pure Food Law, worth 12c, special, case of 2 doz. No. 2 cans $1.07, doz. 10c, can..... **7c**

Wheat Berries—10,000 packages Quaker Oats Co.'s popular breakfast cereal, ready to eat. Special, case of 5 doz. packages $2.60, regular 10c package **7c**

Tea Beans—3 car loads California Clark's pink tea beans. Beans are bought by weight, and should be sold the same way. Special, 25 lbs., full weight, $4.50, 10 lbs., full weight **54c**

Rice—China fancy, whole head Japan style rice, worth 12c. Special, 10 lbs. 65c, per lb **6½c**

Coffee—Harmony blend, a good coffee at a popular price, ground or as the bean. Sells from $1.07 to $1.25. Special, No. 2 cans $1.07, doz. 75c, can..... **22c**

Coffee—A special blend of choice Santos and Maracaibo coffees, worth 22c. Special, 3 lbs. $1.00, lb..... **15c**

Tomatoes—750 cases Southern pack of tomatoes, worth 12c. Special, case of 3 doz. 2 cans $2.00, doz. $1.05, can..... **9c**

Pure Fruit Jelly—5 different kinds, assorted under the Pure Food Law, regular 15c glass tumbler, one-half dozen..... **12c**

Pineapple Chunks—150 cases de luxe chunk pineapple, packed in syrup, special, dozen No. 2 cans $1.00, can..... **10c**

Pure Olive Oil—Received direct from the estates of Francisco di Frasco, Benigno, Italy. This oil is put up under the Crosano brand and is famous throughout Europe for its delicateness of flavor. It is the highest absolutely pure, but is also the highest priced olive oil in the world. Our pure olive oil and Crosano brand. Gallon can with faucet $2.75, ½-gallon can $1.50, quart can..... **78c**

New Maple Sugar—Absolutely pure, cool, granulating, at 20c, special, 1-lb. brick..... **17c**

Bostogen—10c size, non-fading and polishing powder, worth 10c, special, one can..... **6c**

New Maple Syrup—850 cans gallon tins, absolutely pure, Golden Maple Syrup, regular price $1.40, special for this sale only, gal. tin..... **99c**

Butterine—Buttercup brand, high-grade butterine, more wholesome and more easily digested than butter, same color as butter, 10-lb. tub $1.90, 5-lb. tub 20c, 2-lb. 8c, lb. pints..... **9c**

New Orleans Molasses—50 barrels finest quality open kettle, New Orleans Molasses, regular price 50c. Special, per gallon including jug..... **39c**

Matches—24 packages of only matches, put up in metal safe, for..... **55c**

Baking Powder—HAZEL brand, absolutely pure, cream tartar baking powder, exceeds 12 government tests. Special, Baking Powder is as pure as any made, 10c can size..... **16c**

Flour—HAZEL brand, best XXXX patent flour, every pound guaranteed satisfactory, worth $6.0 bag. Special barrel $5.50, ½ barrel in wood $2.80, 24½ lb. sack..... **83c**

Early June Peas—1,400 cases Farquhar brand, choice early June peas, tender natural flavor, regular 10c. Special, case of 2 dozen $2.25, dozen $1.15, can..... **10c**

Combination Special No. 3

—10-lb cotton sack fine granulated sugar $0.39

1 lb. regular 35c coffee 35

1 lb. regular 50c tea, any kind 40

1 package Uneeda Biscuit 05

Total $1.19

Special $1.09

Combination Special No. 4

—25-lb cotton sack fine granulated sugar $0.99

1 lb. regular 35c coffee 35

1 lb. regular 50c tea, any kind 40

1 package Uneeda Biscuit 05

Total $1.79

Special $1.39

Pink Antiseptic Hand Cleaner—Does wonders for the housewife 5c

Sample Tea—Choice imported samples, ranging in price from 30c to 60c, special for this sale, 10 lbs. $1.00, lb..... 12c

Henry Siegel Co.—Fifth Floor.

THE 'SECRET POLICE' OF PARIS A SYSTEM OF SPY ON SPY.

Famous Third Brigade Is for the Purpose of Keeping Watch on the Others.

LITTLE SINS ARE DETECTED

By Vance Thompson.
Special Correspondent of the Boston Sunday American.

PARIS, May 2.—The "secret police," as it is called, of Paris is one of those things few people know anything about. The average person gets his notion of the "secret police" from detective novels; and queer theories float abroad.

Here are the facts.

Take in the first place the famous Third Brigade. Its business is to supervise the police.

It is under the direct command of the chief of the municipal police, and numbers eighty-three men and officers. One and all they are picked men. About half of them are assigned to watch the regular patrolmen; by day and by night they slip about the streets, noting all infractions of the rules of the service.

He is a bad policeman who runs the risk of selling a wine shop for a sly glass or commits any of the other little sins dear to the patrolman's heart. There is hardly a chance that he will not be detected in time; reprimanded follows and afterthat fine and lastly dismissal. The discipline is extremely severe.

Investigates Patrolmen.

The other half of the Third Brigade is engaged in work of a soldier kind. In the first place it investigates all complaints made against the patrolmen. These investigations are rigorous and quite impartial, the agent who is taken in fault must go. And in the second place it maintains a rigular system of espionage upon the private lives of all police in every rank.

In its turn the Third Brigade is watched by a smaller body of detectives, who report directly to Monsieur Lépine, the Prefect of Police. So in society as in politics there is a spy upon every man in the force—even a spy upon the spies. The choice ages with which the safety of the Republic of the Right are tracked in their comings and goings by countless eyes.

"The police themselves are so watched," Monsieur Hamard, who has under him two assistants, six chief inspectors, thirty inspectors, two hundred detectives, commissaries known as inspectors. That force is divided into two sections. One is occupied in collecting secret service warrants for the criminal courts, a third section watches the town, ornamental paths, shrubs, and grass, and to the sad girls of Paris, another section is sent out into the streets and hunts day and night for pickpockets, thieves and cutpurses. And so on, one spy and another the system is spread like a fine web upon and over the city.

Elite of Secret Police.

A special section, composed of about fifty of the most intelligent officers in under the direct command of M. Hamard. They form the elite of the secret police. Some men, one and all, there have never been a time when there was not at least one mind of genius among them, since the days of Vidocq, the first chief of all.

There is peculiar regend in Paris that they are chosen among the ingenious criminals upon the old principle of setting a thief to catch a thief. Vidocq indeed, was an ex-convict and, those his associates have never quite forgiven his having "sung" and changed long ago.

Beside these, there is a corps of about a score of plain clothes men, who are called upon to perform all sorts of secret service. Some of these are detailed from the ranks of the police; others are picked men from the outside. Many of them are waiters, street peddlers, beggars of the better sort, and so on. Some are made thieves, and, in short, are made thieves. They are provided with yellow cards, countersigned by the chief, which protect them from arrest by the uninitiated police.

Found in All Classes.

It is impossible to estimate the number of them. Every detective has his own agents, and very few of all the classes of society. You may meet one of them in your club; you may take in dinner a pretty woman who draws pay from the Sûreté; you may, if you are rich enough, be in debt to one of them. Many of the waiters in the cafés are spies. Many of the cabmen are spies. Many of the newsboys are spies. Many of the beggars are spies. Many of the peddlers are spies. Many of the thieves are spies. Many of the policemen are spies. Many of the detectives are spies.

Bonnetrouge, the famous detective, had two wings of his establishment entirely devoted to the spies he employed. One of these wings became secret, and months shortly followed on his death—few politicians believed it was possible to do without it. Within a few months Hustilier thought now even sooner than have been expected.

Premier Asquith gave both wings fair play in making up our cabinet. Churchill got the presidency of the board of trade. To take it he had to resign his seat in Dundee to re-elect himself.

Asquith (Fife) ... to the Cabinet. He was ... Council ... are ... Parliament ... most surely ... provide for him for ... liament need not ... represent ... in America.

BALFOUR WRESTS ASQUITH'S POWER

London, May 2. England is apparently on the ... of ... power ... Premier ... They are ... Balfour ... Asquith ... Balfour ... Asquith ... Balfour ... Asquith

WATER UNDER HUB "MADE LAND" MENACE TO 75,000

Health of South End and Back Bay Residents in Dire Peril, Says I. H. Frothingham.

That 75,000 people in the South End and Back Bay, who reside on "Made Land," are living under highly unsanitary conditions and that their health is dangerously and constantly menaced, all because of the tide forcing water into their cellars and backing sewage into their houses, is the assertion of Isaac H. Frothingham, who is leading a movement to improve conditions.

Mr. Frothingham is one of Boston's aged and prominent citizens. He is a member of the famous Frothingham family. He resides on No. 41 Gay, the house in which he was born.

Governor Guild's assistance has been secured by Mr. Frothingham in his fight for relief and active moves given his personal attention to the matter. It has also been brought before the Metropolitan Improvements Commission, Mayor Hibbard and the Boston Board of Health.

2,000 Acres "Made Land."

Over 2,000 thickly-settled acres in the heart of Boston, all of which is land that has been "filled in" within the past seventy-five years, is included in the district affected. It reaches from the South Bay through the South End and Back Bay to the Charles River and from Dwight street to West Concord street.

"It is scandalous that the tremendous population of that district should be forced to live under such conditions," said Mr. Frothingham today. "The value of land in that section is $300,000,000. The past 'filled years' is the cause of condition.

"Its condition is a menace to you. It lowers the health of every citizen of Boston. It affects all that thick settled portion of the South End known as the lodging house district and nearly all the lower part of Back Bay.

"The unsanitary area of that 'made land' district is increased by the conditions. Many of the houses are not fit for human habitable. The owners offer excuses from year to year for not improving. Their excuses are refused and the houses are allowed to stand.

"All of Boston south from Dwight street to West Concord street and from the Neponset River over to the Charles River is 'made land.' It was all water a century ago. Ships sailed where land stands there. It is now filled in with gravel and built upon. It is one of the most thickly settled portions of the city.

Tides Rise in Cellars.

"Except among the people who live in that big district I have outlined, few Bostonians that the tide still rises and falls under that 'made land.' Still it does, and the water goes up and down in accordance with the tides. A good stiff northeast wind will drive the settled water from two to four feet of water in cellars.

"Conditions in the spring and Fall, when the winds and tides are highest, are the worst. I lived at No. 36 Milford street for years and saw the ride reenter the cellar. In the spring and Fall that condition makes every house affected unhealthful and unfit to live in.

"The trouble is that the land is too low. It was not filled in high enough. Why, it was filled in to a point only about sixty years ago. Houses were jacked up and gravel brought from Needham was used. The Shawmut Avenue district was taken by Boston and filled in once because of the tides arising in cellars.

"The city of Chicago, which is mainly built on 'made land,' has had to fill in the land twice since. It was changed, to stop just the conditions under which thousands of Bostonians are now living.

Valuation off $30,000,000.

"The houses in the affected district rent for from $100 to $2,000, excluding the lower part of Beacon street, south of Charles river, which is a very aristocratic section and consequently with more. Now the city has lost a vast amount of money by ignoring the conditions existing. The valuation of the district has decreased $30,000,000 in fifteen years.

"Another bad feature is that the rise of the tide in this 'made land' forces the sewage back into the houses. It is no wonder that the mortality rate is affected by such conditions.

"The whole district was filled in with gravel, refuse and sewage. The tide flows up into that stuff cannot provoke a healthy odor. I personally will illustrate what will disclose frightful conditions. I have been familiar with it for thirty years, all of which time I have been engaged in improvements.

"I can remember when the city of Boston was a peninsula, with Washington street the only passage to the mainland. Then a northeast gale would wash the sea water over Washington street. Its condition when I could stand on Washington street and look out over the Back Bay and I have seen vessels of 200 tons burden come up to a bulkhead on Middlesex street.

Causes Epidemics.

"The Boston Board of Health has been aware of the condition existing, but it has failed its years ago, but it has ignored the matter. It is responsible, and still it allows a thousand people to live in those unhealthy conditions. It also knows that sewage backs up the opening of the metropolitan sewer.

"I have known of human beings living in cellars where the water from the tides rose two feet of water. Do you wonder that typhoid fever and diphtheria are the diseases that are most prevalent in the city epidemics which are the result of a house near the corner of West Concord and Tremont street that had four feet of water in its cellar just before last Thanksgiving.

"The dampness caused is responsible for thousands of cases of diphtheria, pneumonia, fevers, rheumatism and other ills. It has rusted metal in the house and made clothing mouldy. It has undoubtedly hastened the death of thousands.

"The remedy is to raise the houses and fill the land in higher. That would cost an immense amount of money, but the health of thousands would be benefited and the city would profit by the increased valuations which would be derived.

"Governor Guild is deeply interested in this matter. I have also informed the Metropolitan Improvements Commission and Mayor Hibbard of the facts. Something should be done right away. It will have to be done sometime."

TIDES EBB AND FLOW BENEATH BOSTON HOMES SAYS LONG-TIME CITIZEN

ISAAC H. FROTHINGHAM

CREW STICKS TO WRECKED SHIP

Refuse to Leave Stranded Peter Rickmers Though in Dire Peril.

Sandy Hook, N. J., May 2—More than half a hundred men are in grave peril of their lives to-night, behind battened down hatches awaiting daylight, while the big ship, the Peter Rickmers, which they are on, groans and groans as she sinks deeper and deeper into the sands from which she is unlikely ever to get off, while a raging northeaster smashes the mountainous waves across her.

Off shore, less than two miles away, but powerless to give aid under present weather conditions, are the lights of two big wrecking tugs, which have spent two days in an endeavor to bridge the stranded ship.

Tried to Save Ship.

They are keeping headway as a sea to the ship as possible, and if by chance it should become a total wreck will try to get to the crew off by means of the life boats and lifelines.

The abandoned four-master will hardly make Bremerhaven, Germany, as early in October as she was expected to, but none the less she was resting easily and would be saved. Last night for the ninth time Captain Barkhaus and his men abandoned ship.

The giant he was loved mariner raised them in grief but decidedly emphatic language. Abandon ship! Never! There is nothing like that in German marine tradition. But the men said, That was different. Sure they could go if they wanted to. But none did, and from the cabin boy to the biggest bully of the lot they are all aboard.

Before the tug Atlantic is in these on the lines of the lifelines were being made ready for the transfer. It results that had been decided in the hope of aiding in getting the vessel off, were furled and everything is snug.

There is great anxiety here as to the outcome. The weather is bad and growing worse hourly. The stranded ship lies in a bad position. Wave after wave is breaking over her, and as she is deep in the sands that her structure must be straining badly.

Life Savers Ready.

Whether she will survive the night is problematic and the life savers here are standing by ready, if the wind moves, to go to the crew off with the life boats, but although it will be necessary to take volunteers should it come up a crew.

The crew were rationed as per custom on April 30, and the station is several days short. But there will be men enough to man the boats along if it be needed.

The experts here declare that there is no chance now of saving the Rickmers. To-night a storm is expected in not only start her seams, but also to drive her so far into the sand no power can budge her again.

10,000 MILITIA MEN AT LANCERS' LEVEE

Crack Cavalry Command to Give Spectacular Carnival in Mechanics Building.

Ten thousand military men from scores of organizations in all parts of the country will join in one the most brilliant and spectacular military carnivals ever held in the East—Tuesday evening—the National Lancers' Military Levee, in Mechanics Building.

Society folks and military men from all parts of the country will attend the affair which is the second here [illegible] given by the [illegible] Lancers, the first cavalry command, known [illegible] as "Troop A [illegible] Militia as "Troop A [illegible] wants.

Program of Military Events.

The program of military events and exhibition drills by the different organizations in the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia, including the First Corps Cadets, the Eighth Infantry, the Naval Reserve, the Signal Corps, the Fifth Infantry, Drum and Bugle Corps, The Mitchell Guard Company will illustrate what young soldiers can do, and the United States Coast Artillery Corps from Fort Warren will participate. The events will include contests in will prizes in which soldiers are expected to [illegible] will tackle the [illegible] Lancers' Band, under [illegible] Tenney, will furnish the music for the events and [illegible] follow the military [illegible] at the parade will be seen the Scottish uniform illustrated. There will be [illegible] essential, in full regimentals, the British Grenadier Guard, the Lancers of Germany, the soldier of to-day in all the different uniforms and the old colonial.

Organizations Invited.

Among the organizations invited, and who will be represented, are the [illegible] Veterans and Troop A of Providence, Troop H of Providence, the Light Infantry, Putnam Phalanx, but the Governor's Foot Guard of Hartford, New Haven, the Governor's Foot Guard of Hartford, Troop A of Newport, the Duquesne Corps of Pittsburg, Troop A of New York and Troop A of Brooklyn, the Cadet Corps of Albany, the Troop A of Philadelphia, the Governor's Troop of Harrisburg, the Continental Guard of New Orleans, the Infantry Blue of Richmond, Va.

The British Naval and Military Association will be a part, as will the Ancient Honorable Artillery Company. The Legion Veteran Association will attend, and the Grand Army of the Republic, by officers of Troop A are: Captain Joseph R. Robinson; first Lieutenant, John Berrows; second Lieutenant, Charles B. Appleton.

The officers of the National Lancers' Association are: President, John S. Barrows, first vice president, John B. Newhall; second vice president, Frank [illegible], treasurer, Horace G. Kemp, and secretary, Charles Waugh.

MAYFAIR CLUB ENTERTAINS FRIENDS

The Mayfair Club, consisting of a number of "Hello" girls from the Richmond Exchange, will entertain their friends next Tuesday night at a dance to be held in Whitney Hall, Upham's Corner. Miss Anna M. Currier, president, will be floor director, assisted by Miss Bessie A. Saunders, vice president.

YOUNG COUPLE SEEK MOTHER'S BLESSING

Joseph O'Riordan and Bride Surprise Host of Friends by News of Wedding.

MRS. JOSEPH O'RIORDAN

"Joe loves me, I love Joe. So we're perfectly happy. We always intended to have a quiet wedding and we had it. That's all there is to it. But, listen—I think Mrs. O'Riordan is won over to the match! There's news for you. And with just a little perseverance, Joe thinks everything will be all right!"

Happy as a newly wed, Mary McAuliffe O'Riordan, bride of Joseph O'Riordan, son of the wealthy Charlestown contractor, whose romantic Boston marriage stirred the good parishioners of St. Mary's parish, Charlestown, yesterday told an Boston Sunday American all about the affair.

They are living temporarily at the home Lexington Inn at East Lexington Mrs. O'Riordan accompanies her husband each day to Boston to his business, and then when evening comes she returns home with him. Now that the secret of their marriage is out, all East Lexington is talking about their devotion to each other.

Planned Quiet Wedding.

But that isn't the best part of it. The newest feature, the best feature, is the winning over of her mother-in-law. The bride-groom is doing it, she says, slowly but surely.

"Why," said the pretty Mrs. O'Riordan, she called fresh cakes, if she hadn't been in love with me in other we should not have been married. We had always planned a quiet wedding, and that is how it came. We were married according to the rules of our church, just before [illegible] Mass.

"Anyway, we met five years ago, and at St. Mary's church. We fell in love of course we did. We had a right to, didn't we? Then we decided to be married. We went to the cathedral and the deed was done out to Lexington with the bridesmaid, my sister Nora, and the best man. There were but four of us at the church.

Members of St. Mary's.

"Listen! I think Mrs. O'Riordan is won over to the match. With just a little perseverance, Joe thinks everything will be all right."

Bride and groom are members of the congregation of St. Mary's church. They were married Dr. Joe Smith, in the Rev. John B. Crane of the Sacred Heart of the Holy Cross. The marriage was kept quiet, but yesterday it leaked out.

The bride was formerly a shop girl. The groom, he is thirty-two, is a contractor and is wealthy.

TALKS ON TEETH

By G. Gordon Martin

A Year and Teeth

Anniversaries are milestones in a business as well as in the life of an individual. We have reached one first milestone, and as we pause to consider the progress we have made in the past year, we shall take the liberty of looking back and tell it of our success in the establishment of a scientific method of dentistry in the New England field.

Before the *Alveolar system* was introduced into New England it had already been successfully demonstrated in the great centres of America. We were told that Boston was very conservative, too conservative for a new method of dentistry—conducted by those who do not believe that any professional etiquette against advertising should prevent making known the merit of their work.

We opened our suite of offices in the Berkeley Building just a year ago. We were sure that even conservative Boston would not be prejudiced against anything so meritorious as our *Alveolar Method of Treatment*. We knew that the wonderful success of this work in other great centres could be duplicated in Boston, and the past year has shown that our judgment was correct.

Beginning with no patients, we have treated successfully more than twelve hundred patients in the past year, and now we are treating over two hundred patients a month, who come to us from all over New England.

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TAFT AND GUILD IS POWERS' TICKET

Secretary of War's Bay State Manager Declares Governor Is Right Man for Second Place.

Taft and Guild as the Republican national ticket is what ex-Congressman Samuel L. Powers sees after a week's visit to Washington where he has been in touch with leaders of the Grand Old Party from the country over.

Confident that the Secretary of War will not only have a majority of votes in the Chicago convention but will be nominated on the first ballot by a two-thirds vote, the Taft manager for New England has for the nomination of Governor Curtis Guild, Jr., for vice-president and comes home prepared to have Massachusetts take the lead in presenting the name of Governor Guild for the second place.

Much can is ready, declared the ex-Congressman last night, "to present the name of Governor Guild, but the general sentiment is that the presentation should come from Massachusetts. And it will accordingly come.

"With everyone practically conceding Taft's nomination I found that the talk in Washington now was more upon the man for second place," said the ex-congressman. "I was pleased, but not surprised to find a great deal of outspoken sentiment as to the ability and availability of Governor Curtis Guild.

"I found in Washington that it is now assumed, especially by the friends of Taft and Sherman, that if Taft is going forward the name of Governor Guild as a vice-presidential candidate in the convention a good many of the delegates would be actually surprised, I believe, to find how accurately how popular Governor Guild is in the South and Middle West. For and with South this would be a great help both as a soldier and as a campaigner.

"As long ago as the second McKinley campaign, when he went on a stumping trip with Roosevelt, he aroused much enthusiasm and became very well known in such States as Colorado, Wyoming and others of the Rock Mountain regions. I doubt if any one has been mentioned as an available candidate for the vice-President of late years who is any better known to the masses of the people everywhere than is Governor Guild.

"Another thing that would make the available candidate for the Vice-President on the ticket with Mr. Taft popular is the fact that it is well known that he has been and is a great admirer of the Secretary of War and stands for the same policies.

"The matter of availability must always be considered. Of course if New York should swing into line for Taft and decide to support Hughes for Vice-President, another strong ticket would be formed as the Governor of New York would consent to run in second place. It is my conviction that he would do so and in the opinion of the prominent Republicans at Washington Governor Guild appears to be by far the most available candidate.

JOHNSON TRIES TO AVERT CAR STRIKE

Mayor, His Prestige at Stake, Strives to Delay Walk Out on the "Threefer."

By Boston American Leased Wire.

Cleveland, O., May 2—His prestige at stake, Mayor Tom L. Johnson to-day and to-night exerted his greatest effort to avoid or at least to delay the threatened walk out of the conductors and motormen of the Municipal Traction Company, fostered by the Mayor to operate all lines in the city at a three-cent fare.

His conferred with A. L. Bolmer, national vice-president of the Employes' Union, and a committee of the men, when the result of the balloting of the union men was announced as 1,452 to 120 in favor of authorizing the issuance of a strike order. The Mayor urged arbitration and in a second conference at 11:30 to-night made a more definite proposal.

"The Mayor's decision must be greater than in the afternoon," said a union officer late to-night, "or the strike will be ordered at once."

Men insisted the contract with the Cleveland Electric, granting a two-cent raise, must first be recognized, and that arbitration would then be agreed to.

President Dupont insists his company cannot pay the two-cent raise and operate at three-cent fare, as pledged by Mayor Johnson, and at the same time meet the $6,500,000 interest on $12,000,000 bonds, and whatever more of $35,000,000 authorized capital of the Cleveland Electric is issued.

AUTO BREAKS MAN'S RIBS; SPEEDS AWAY

An Italian organ grinder, Celestino Bochorenzos, of Newton, was struck by an automobile on Main street, Waltham, late yesterday afternoon. Three of his ribs were broken and he was bruised severely. He was taken to the Waltham Hospital. The auto speeded on after the accident without the number of the machine or any of its occupants were recognized.

$400,000 FIRM IN BANKRUPTCY

NEW YORK, May 2.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in the United States District Court here to-day against the Tyler Lumber Company of Maine, with offices in Broadway, and which is capitalized at $400,000. Unless surrounding $6,020 are made the basis of the application

ANNUAL MAY PARTY OF COLONIAL CLUB

The third annual May party and dance of the Colonial Club of Somerville will be held in Knotts Hall, Union square, on Monday evening, May 4.

There will be a concert from 8 until 9, after which dancing will follow. The officers of the club are: J. H. Hopkins, president; James A. Dwyer, vice-president; William J. Davis, financial secretary; Miss McKenzie, recording secretary, and J. Samuel Abbott, treasurer.

The committee in charge of the affair are: P. H. Cahill, J. A. Cahill, Frank Reynolds, H. McKenzie, G. Connolly, L. Leonard, J. J. Doherty, J. J. Carr, George Pratt, L. Sonia and A. Walsh.

CHORUS GIRLS BEAT TENOR.

Vienna, May 2.—The chorus girls who appeared in "Hoffman's Tales," administered a severe beating to the representative of the title role, a tenor named Neumann, after the latter had knocked down Herr Simon, director of the Vienna Popular Opera. After beating him the girls threw the tenor bodily out of the stage door.

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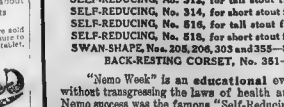

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KNIGHTS OF ST. FINBAR PLAN FOR ATHLETIC MEET MAY 30

Committee Working for New Record at Locust Street Grounds; Other Events of Irish Clubs.

At the meeting of the Knights of St. Finbar, Cormenn's Association, at Hibernian Hall, Union street, Charlestown, this after noon, a report of the list of games to be held at Locust street grounds Memorial Day will be made by the committee. The events include 100-yard dash, 440-yard run, 1,000-yard run, running high jump, putting sixteen-pound shot and running hop, step and jump, or two steps. These are open handicaps.

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ERIN'S SONS STAND BY MOTHERLAND IN LONG BATTLE FOR HOME RULE.

—T. B. FITZPATRICK.

"Blood Is Not so Thin, Nor Memory so Faithless," He Declares.

MUST HEED CRY OF JUSTICE

National Treasurer of Irish League Tells of United Action in America.

IRISH people in the United States will stand by their countrymen in Ireland till the Old Country has obtained Home Rule, says Treasurer Thomas B. Fitzpatrick of the United Irish League. The Irish-Americans will not forget the wrongs of Ireland nor remain passive under their recital. To quote Mr. Fitzpatrick's words:

"Blood is not so thin, nor memory so faithless."

Mr. Fitzpatrick was the principal speaker at yesterday's meeting of the Twentieth Century Club. The Rev. Walter Walsh of Dundee, Scotland, spoke on social conditions and housing problems in Scotland. Secretary H. F. Cope of the Religious Educational Association outlined the purposes of that organization.

Homes More Like Graves.

We have in Scotland even how houses more like graves," declared the Rev. Mr. Walsh, after telling of the shocks which had been dug in the earth as homes by the Picts hundreds of years ago. "Some of the people live away from the sunlight, and all that makes the home lovable and under conditions that are most deplorable. They are living under social and housing conditions that are unparalleled in all Europe.

"There is plenty of land in Scotland, but the English squires and American millionaires have driven the people off that. They can shoot deer and grouse and maintain large sheep farms. Last year over 10,000 immigrants from Scotland came to America, and the amount of immigration is fast approaching the birth rate."

Irish Self-Government.

Mr. Fitzpatrick said in part:

"I am asked to make a few remarks to-day upon the Irish National Movement. What is the Irish National Movement? Nothing more nor less than an organized purpose on the part of the Irish people to obtain Home Rule, or in other words, self-government for Ireland.

"This would be a form of government subject to the jurisdiction of Great Britain in national affairs, but empowered through its home parliament, or domestic legislature to make and administer laws for the city to Ireland exclusively. It is, as we see, therefore, that Home Rule for Ireland means substantially a government of the Irish people by the Irish people for the Irish people. This is Home Rule as its advocates understand it. It has been granted to Canada, to Australia, to the Transvaal, and to other British dependencies. Why not Ireland?

"There in America we live in an atmosphere of Home Rule; home rule in the town, in the city, in the state and in the nation. Every state has its legislature to govern its own affairs, and the meaning of independence thus incorporated on the part of the people is never at variance with their loyalty to the national government. On the contrary, it strengthens the bond of union and is a vital factor in the protection to the sovereignty of the nation. It encourages confidence in the general government and promotes loyalty to central authority.

Would Help Great Britain.

"This is what Mr. Redmond meant, in his great speech before Parliament a few weeks ago, when he said that the reform of the Irish government is a matter vital to the interests of Ireland, and calculated to promote the well-being of the people of Great Britain'. Mr. Redmond is right in contending that a modified form of government in Ireland will 'prepare the way for the peace of Great Britain as well as serve the interests of Ireland.' This is the true statesmanship that recognizes that the administration of justice by any government benefits, not alone a part of the people, but all the people.

"For centuries Ireland has not shared in this boon of justice by the British government, and not redressed the story of her wrongs. It would take much more time to relate a single chapter than could be afforded at this time, I will not therefore attempt it.

"It is to remedy an evil system of government and to give to Ireland a brighter and happier future that her people have demanded the right to govern themselves. Some of the ablest British statesmen have recognized this right, and among them Pitt he said, spared no effort to secure it for Ireland.

Quote Campbell-Bannerman.

The late Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman, in a speech at the opening of Parliament in February, 1907, stated as follows: 'When Ireland has been governed as by, again and again, in and out of the House, the whole point in this Are you prepared to deny that the Irish people are entitled to manage their own domestic affairs in their own way, so long as they conform with ours and so long as nothing in their management is inconsistent with the general and therefore, the solidity of the common settlement to these controlled? It does not make any difference whatever

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SLEUTH, FIRED, SUES BINGHAM FOR $50,000

New York, May 2.—Theodore A. Bingham, police commissioner, was served with the summons and complaint to-day at headquarters in the suit for $50,000 damages brought by William F. Peabody, better known as "Pinkie." He was recently removed as lieutenant-detective of police for alleged activity in the Gould case, in which his superior, Inspector William W. McLaughlin, was also to pointed, and who resigned when the pressure became too great.

50,000 CATHOLICS MARCH IN GOTHAM CENTENARY PARADE.

Mighty Host Witnesses Great Demonstration by Societies at New York.

CHEERS ALL ALONG LINE

Ideal Day for Marchers, Who Present Most Brilliant Spectacle.

NEW YORK, May 2.—More splendid processions in point of trappings and pomp and ceremony have passed up Fifth avenue than today's parade of the Catholic laity, closing the week's celebration of the centennial of the establishment of the diocese of New York, but none more impressive.

As hour after hour passed and still the ranks of the organized bodies streamed onward to the north, the vast strength of the church was borne in on the hundreds of thousands who lined the avenue from Washington square to Fifty-eighth street and watched the fifty thousand men in line. Of these only three, the grand marshal and two aides, were mounted.

With the exception of a few organizations not numerous in membership, there was no display of uniforms or other regalia. A badge pinned on the breast, the guides on the side lines that indicated the identity of the organization, here and there a banner, and always the American flag, three score gave color to the long line of marchers.

Ideal Day for Parade.

The parade was excellently managed Once started, and the hour was promptly observed, there was never a halt until the last rank had died past the reviewing stand in front of St. Patrick's Cathedral.

It was an ideal day for parading. At 2 o'clock the grand marshal, General Thomas H. Barry, saluted the grand stand from his charger. In the center section of the stand, just before the main portal of the cathedral, were seated the high dignitaries of the church, Cardinals Logue and Gibbons, Archbishop Farley, Lord Bishop Browne, of Cloyne; Monsignor Lavelle, who is a lack of costuming and regalia, there was no dearth of music. At regular and short intervals throughout the long line there were bands and the grand stand was never beyond earshot of their playing. One organization of this character that elicited much attention was the 'Holy Name' band of the Mission of the Immaculate Virgin. They were from Brooklyn, one hundred strong and were heartily cheered all along the line of march.

The police arrangements were such as to provide a clear route for the parade, though frequently at the expense of the feelings of the spectators. There were some minor incidents, too, but for the day was not marred by anything of a serious character. One of these happened directly opposite the Cathedral, where the stone curb of the Fifth avenue sidewalk gave way before the pressure of the crowd and several persons fell through. They were quickly thrown into the four foot pit below.

Cardinal Logue will officiate to-morrow at the Church of St. James, Baptist, Lewis and Willoughby avenues, Brooklyn, at the annual celebration of services commemorating the transition of the first Bishop of the Diocese, Rt. Rev. Cornelius Power, the apostle of Long Island, and a host of monsignori and priests. They were flanked on either side by more than three hundred of the wives and daughters of representative laymen of the diocese, and the scene gave a brilliant coloring to a mass of color against the gray of the basilica.

There were a few organizations in line that attracted special interest, and of these easily the first was the small body of negro Roman Catholics who represent the Holy Name Society of the church of St. Peter Claver, the Moor. All along the line they were cheered, and nowhere more lustily than by the throngs at the cathedral.

The Catholic Club, which formed the escort to the grand marshal, came in for the plaudits of the multitude, and the standards of the Knights of Columbus attracted keen attention.

In the Catholic Club escort were Supreme Justices Davis, Dayton, O'Gorman, Goff, former Justice Edward E. O'Brien, Eugene Philbin, M. J. McGuire, Edward Lyman, John D. Crimmins, Thomas F. Ryan and others.

The Holy Name societies of the diocese, numbering more than 100,000 men, and representing scores of parishes, aston ished by the great numbers and enthusiasm of its showing. It is perhaps underestimating the number to say there were 15,000 members of the organization in line. The Knights of Columbus likewise made an impressive showing, with 4,000 men in line, and the Hibernians made their most numerous turnout, with perhaps half as many.

The close of the centenary celebration of the establishment of the archdiocese of New York was marked by the receipt of a congratulatory telegram from President Roosevelt by Archbishop Farley.

In his message the President said:

"My dear Archbishop: Now that the celebration of the anniversary is over I want to be the first place to congratulate you on its great success. In the next place I want to congratulate all our people on the impulse to higher patriotism given by the way in which the celebration was conducted. Finally, and what is much the most important, I want to thank you personally for your very kind and courteous allusion to myself on last Tuesday."

Noted Churchmen at Catholic Centennial

Snapshots taken especially for the Boston Sunday American during the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of a Catholic parish in New York.

M'LAUGHLIN SLATED FOR SHAW'S PLACE

Will Be Appointed to Election Board by Mayor Hibbard Next Week.

Edward A McLaughlin of No. 86 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, former clerk of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, will be named by Mayor Hibbard to succeed Davis B Shaw of Charlestown as a member of the Board of Election Commissioners The appointment will be sent to the Board of Aldermen a w.k. from to-morrow.

Commissioner Shaw's term of four years expired on May 1 Mr McLaughlin has never been a candidate for the place, but is willing to accept. The active seekers for the position have been Mr. Shaw and Malachi L. Jennings of Ward 16. It was urged in behalf of Mr. Jennings that he had supported Mayor Hibbard for election, but as the board is by law a bi partisan one, the Mayor decided that a man should be selected whose Democracy could not be questioned It was semi officially announced from the Mayor's office on Saturday of last week that Mr McLaughlin would be reappointed on the following Monday. Hence the announcement that Mr. McLaughlin is to have the place, forecasted in these columns several weeks ago, comes as a surprise

The Mayor leaves for Richmond, Va., to-morrow to attend the Associated Charities convention, and will not name any one to the wealth board until his return There is one vacancy now, caused by the removal of William H Haven of Cambridge. This will be filled by the appointment of Frederic O. North, former school house commissioner under the administration of his uncle, Augustus Thomas N. Hart For the other place, now held by Michael W. Norris, whose resignation is in the hands of the Mayor, the names of Dr Arthur F. Jackson of No. 537 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, and Walter A Webster of Ward 22, are being considered

Dr. Davison is a son of Dr Archibald F Davison, chairman of the Ward 20 Republican committee and delegate to the Republican national convention from the Tenth District Walter A. Webster is a lawyer, a former member of the legislature, and was the Republican candidate for District Attorney against John B. Moran last November. It is now practically assured that the Board of Aldermen will confirm the Mayor's appointment to the board of Dr Samuel H. Durgin

Schumann-Heink Nails Divorce Rumor by Calling "Billy"

He Comes in With Six Little Raps and Picture of Domestic Joy is Complete.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

New York, May 2.—The "Villa Fides," home of Mme. Schumann Heink, on Cauldwell mountain, Bloomfield, N. J., was the most tranquil as well as beautiful spot to the state to-day. The reporter, who had been sent to verify a report that Mme. Schumann-Heink was about to sue for divorce, bravely knocked at the door [illegible] to minutes in the first room, [illegible] sixteen.

The Sullivan portrait was placed in Mr. Dunn's office alongside of the portraits of former Governor Frederic T. Greenhalge and former Governor William E. Russell.

Resolutions of Protest.

At a meeting of the Central Council of the organization, to be held at Fains Hall Tuesday evening, the following resolutions will be introduced:

"Whereas, the portrait of Governor James Sullivan has been removed from the hall wherein hangs the portraits of governors of Massachusetts, therefore,

"Be it resolved, That we call upon His Excellency, the Governor of the State, to place in position, side by side with the other portraits of former Governors, the portrait of Governor James Sullivan. Be it further

"Resolved, That we call upon all Irish organizations to adopt similar resolutions and [illegible] that the request is complied with.

PICTURE'S REMOVAL STARTS LIVELY WAR

Irish County Clubs Demand Gov Sullivan's Portrait Be Restored at State House.

There is [illegible] among the members of the Irish County Clubs of Boston because the portrait of ex Governor James Sullivan [illegible] from the gallery of former Governors at the State House. It was removed some time ago to the office of Frank J. Donahue, private secretary to the governor.

The custodians of the State House say the removal was because of a lack of room in the gallery.

Governor in 1807-1808.

James Sullivan was Governor of the Commonwealth from 1807 to 1808. He was a loyal Irishman with hosts of friends He was the seventh Governor, John Hancock being the first, and members of the Irish County Clubs say that if any former Governor was to be slighted, it should not, at least by virtue of his rank, have been Sullivan.

"Lack of room," they say, is no excuse. There are two pictures of Mr. Sullivan [illegible] Mayor Hart, one is a large solemn [illegible] and maintain its moral tone against all the influences tending to degeneration. "With your plentiful supplies, [illegible] all, be in need of every possible agency for morality which can avail to help it." And the Catholic church will not be backward in the effort. The city and State. Every priest in this archdiocese should feel himself a specially delegated agent of St. Patrick to fight against the [illegible] of evil, to prevent and remedy all human needs in this great field. A body of consecrated men such as these, above the lure of money and sensuality, must be a potent influence in so vast a godless city.

"The sacredness of the family relation is at the root of society. We shall preserve the purity of this fountain of life. Marriage will be upheld as a sacred religion. Divorce, that foul forerunner of degeneracy, will be fought at every turn as if it were a wild beast preying upon the fairest of humanity.

"The church's mission also will be identical with that important purpose of this nation to take the millions of people coming to this port and help to amalgamate them into American society. Your civic and national government is doing all it can to this end. But the Catholic church is the mother faith of most of these aliens.

CITY WITHOUT MORALITY MUST SOON CRUMBLE

—Cardinal Logue.

Primate of Ireland Sees Bright Future for Church in America; Warns Against Divorce.

New York, May 2 The following message from Cardinal Logue to the [illegible] American readers, was given out to-day [illegible]

"I am glad to see that the spirit and faith [illegible] of St. Patrick are so vital in this city, and I congratulate the people upon it. Next to Ireland, I love America best of all other countries. There is no doubt but what the brightest future of the church is in America.

"Looking into the future, I see New York a city of many more millions than you have even now. Her power for good and evil will be unlimited. And with the growth of the city the church will grow; the [illegible] will be the salvation of the city. In fact, it will be the uplifting influence in the church that it [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

MRS. BUTLER'S MAY FESTIVAL SUCCESS

Splendid Spectacle for Charity Attended by Hundreds in Mechanics' Building.

MANY BRILLIANT DANCES

The twelfth annual May festival given under the direction of Mrs. William S. Butler in Mechanics Building yesterday afternoon and last evening was a greater success than ever before. The pretty ancient hall was about half filled during the afternoon, and in the evening there was an immense throng, the standing room of the galleries being crowded.

Four hundred and fifty children took part, attired in every imaginable costume appropriate to the occasion. Miss Louise Woman and Paul Jones chose in their dances the May Queen and Mr. Maypole, and were among the leading features. Miss Lionel Dascomb of "The Spring Chicken" constantly rendered an excellent solo, and Linton Robinson in his specialties was also heartily applauded.

Those Who Took Part.

Among those who took part in the festival were the following:

Clayton Bohanan, Lillian Brown, Margaret Mahoney, May Murphy, Therese Murphy, Ruth White, Stella Craig and Amelia Birchmay.

Flora Merrill, Sadie Nason, Ruth White, Gertrude Desormeaux, Marcelle De Lee and Marion O'Brien, Phillis Playter, Mona Dee Moore, Hildred Mahoney, Mildred Brownell, Margaret Mahoney, Mary Murphy, Therese Mahoney, Ruth White, Nellie Davis, Dorothy Kenney, Louise Sears, Gertrude Beck, Beck Hogan, Wyanski, Dick Playter, Ida Greenleaf, Eloise Weaver of Cambridge, Nellie Bailey, Helen Moore, Stella Best, Ruth Caner on, Margaret Conner, Phyllis Bolswick, Marjorie Lockey, Pauline Blanchard, Dorothy Archer, Louise Day, Becky Shook, Helen White, Hazel White, Catherine Weaver, Earl Schneider and John Canty.

The matrons were Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Eccles, Mrs. Shook, Mrs. Peery, Mrs. Robinson.

Many Clever Dances

In a dashing dance, the "Dainty step" the following participated: Misses Davis, Hardwell, Batchelder, Rogers, Playter, De Leonard, Vinto, Atkins, O. Wells and H. Nichols, Hall, Baker, Blanchard, Lee, Benedict, Cameron, Beal, Weyand and Masters. Good and easy steps were shown, Misses Hall, Beal, Wells, Weyand, Batchelder, Benedict, Cameron, Dorothy Davis and Rogers, Hamilton and Marion Weaver.

The Lee Expanded Band and Orchestra Company took part in the Virginia Reel.

Among Miss Butler's guests at the festival were Mrs. S. M. Weyand, 80 years old, formerly of Poland Street, Mrs. Hour, of Roxbury; Mrs. Bancroft, of Quincy, Brice, Mrs. Oliver Ames and Mrs. A. D. Irwin of Worcester.

The proceeds of the festival will be turned over to charity.

CHEER DR. MUCK AT FAREWELL CONCERT

Storms of Applause Greet Retiring Conductor of the Symphony Orchestra.

A large and cultured audience which paid homage to Dr. Muck as the last of the season's Symphony concerts in Symphony Hall last night. By 8 o'clock every seat was filled, and when Dr. Muck appeared he was greeted by storms of applause from the orchestra and audience both of which, not satisfied with mere hand clapping, rose to their feet and continued standing and applauding until he had taken his place at the conductor's stand, from which hung a large floral wreath, a tribute from his men.

It was Dr. Muck's last appearance with the Symphony orchestra, and it certainly must have been gratifying to him to see his conservative Boston audience so forget itself as to become demonstrative. He can no longer be in doubt as to his popularity. The farewell greeting was the same as the one he gave on his first Boston appearance, and in his conducting he, as usual, showed musically quaint bits of the highest order, and everything at all times by a deep sincerity and love for his art.

Beethoven's Symphony No. 5, in C minor, opened the programme, the other numbers of which were Wagner's "A Faust Overture, Wagner's "A Siegfried Idyl" and Wagner's overture to "The Mastersingers of Nuremberg."

In his Symphony in C minor, Beethoven develops his own intimate thought; his every utterance is personal, and every accent charged with depression, his visions of night, his bursts of passion, his struggle through the subject and the forms of classic music, and his transformation are glorified as essentially individual and personal, ever mysterious and noble.

The first movement is devoted to the development of disordered sentiments which finally find peace in a triumphant close. It was full of significance, the thing the world was symbolized by artists who understood the great composer's song and so did the audience last night.

The first movement overture the orchestra played with intense dramatic feeling and power.

The Mastersingers of Nuremberg, both in its musical and its poetical significance, is the pinnacle of Wagner's achievement as a writer of music-drama.

DOG BITES BOY CATCHING RIDE

Thomas Brown, fifteen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Agnes Brown of No. 29 Forest street, Malden, is confined to his bed as the result of a dog bite. While climbing into the rear of a milk wagon on Main street near Concord street, Malden, yesterday afternoon a stray bulldog seized the boy by the leg, badly tearing it. A physician cauterized the wound.

JAPANESE BELL BOY POET, WHO LAUDS DEAD HEROES OF SUNKEN MATSUSHIMA

FRANK OBATA.

SOUNDS REQUIEM OF LOST BATTLESHIP

Japanese Poet Sings Praises of Sunken Matsushima and Its Dead Heroes.

Believing that he calamity which has befallen his native land can be best told in a poetry, Frank Obata, one of the Japanese bell boys at the American House has written the following interesting and original letter to the editor of the Herald. Besides answering, in which he describes the recent sinking of the Japanese battleship Matsushima off the coast of Japan near the Pescadores Islands.

To the American Editor:

Sir: Enclosed is my sentimental layout on the occasion of the unfortunate Matsushima, which I place in your hand, merciful consideration, free of any critique, to be touch handled in any unkind manner; you will please or displease, except waste-basket before perusal.

Yours truly,
F. OBATA

The poem is in the original composition of Mr Obata:

Explosion of the Matsushima.
(By F. Obata).

Lo! the Eastern sky red glares are the flaming sun
Is are crimsons like fair fires of the Fourth of July.
Hark! a dire sound like that of rending iron,
Splash! down goes the noble craft, heavy the doom.
You can yet perceive the flag of the flowery land
Of Yost.
There the thick smokes of the darkest hue,
Still braver waving on the gallant mast
To thee, and to thy unfortunate crew, aloha!

Of Matsushima, brave warrior of the Mikado's Majesty, proud foe to the enemy in separate fight,
Active to the spirit of Japan and her navies,
Thy sailors' valor are forever
Remembered.
But, where? bright, such a fate, thou should not
Go.
Oh, Matsushima, why must thy noble existence
Thus immaterialize cease,
There better to lay, to be buried with bottle-feet,
A gallant death earn thee glorious repose in
Peace.

And ye, 240 sturdy sons of Nippia,
The pride of the fair Eastern Estates, ye
Whose glorious deeds shall be numbered thus un-
And
Ye are ever more find yourselves under sea,
Yet your bravery, loyalty, the martial spirit of
Japan lives.
Shall ever be the living Sun of the doomed ship
ever shine.
That wave in the cool breeze on that fatal morn

JUDGE MOVED BY GIRL'S SAD STORY

Bessie M. Lincoln, seventeen years old, and one of the prettiest girls of the barefoot type ever seen in the municipal court in Boston, had Judge Michael J. Murray completely unnerved when arraigned on the charge of shoplifting, which touched his heart and induced him to suspend her sentence for one month in the House of Correction, which was the date set out to William in Parkhill, her companion, he placed her on probation. She will go to the Welcome Home at Dorchester.

Bessie said that her home was in Leominster, and that she was on a trip going to relatives in New Hampshire three months ago when she met Parkhill, who is the scion of a wealthy Fitchburg family. He, in the public say, is the incorrigible young man.

Bessie says he induced her to give up her New Hampshire trip and go to the Columbus avenue house, where he has been living. The police think that Parkhill induced her to go to a department store, and then were arrested by the street on suspicion of a woman store detective in the room was found a letter from the wealthy grandmother. She said that she would send him no more money and those he had disregarded all her entreaties.

NEWTON SUICIDE EXPERT AUDITOR

During a temporary fit of insanity, Henry F. Towle, thirty six, of New York city, killed himself by shooting a bullet in his temple on the grounds adjoining the B. A. A. boathouse at Newton, early yesterday afternoon.

Towle was expert accountant, auditor and examiner for the Warren Brothers Company of Boston, New York and Chicago. He had been in the employ of the firm for a number of years and was regarded by the company as a trusted and valued employe. He was also a member of the Boston Athletic Association and a well known oarsman.

It is admitted that Towle's work was wonderfully true to life, and it is said that it is true for his suicide. Because of this it is freely predicted that Sargent will never ask Sargent to "do" him.

SARGENT'S BRUSH TOO TRUE TO LIFE

WOMAN IN RAGE ROUTS FIREMEN

Rose Ford, 24, May 2—Demanding that members of Friendship Hook, Ladder and Hose Company as devils, aged Mrs. Mary Jefferson knocked at the door of the engine house and, on entering, proceeded to clean out the place, using a club which she hurled at the occupants.

LOOK INTO WORK OF UTILITIES BOARD

Senator from Mitchell's Committee Makes up a "Seeing New York" Party.

New York, May 2—Impressed by a two hours' visit to the office of the Public Service Commission, Massachusetts legislators making a three days' visit to New York, admitted tonight at the Hotel Astor form the existence of a sentiment among them in favor of the bill for the establishment of a Public Service Commission in Massachusetts. None of them would go further.

The visitors are the Public Service Committee on Legislation, all of whom, except in charge of House Doorkeeper Tom Pelletier. They include Senator Tom Williams of Attleboro, Senator Edward A. Tower of Worcester, Senator John Mitchell of Marlboro and Representatives George H. Ellis of Newhall, of Lynn, William H. Smith of Somerville, Melvin J. Kenney of Taunton, John H. Thompson of Worcester, George E. Leavitt of Revere, and Charles F. McCarthy of Marlboro. Senator Mitchell and Representative Thompson and McCarthy are Democrats.

Would Control Railways.

The Massachusetts bill abolishes the Board of Railroad Commissioners, the Commission of Gas and Electric Lighting, the offices of inspector and Deputy Inspectors of Gas Meters and the Boston Transit Commission

It gives the proposed Commission supervision or control of the Massachusetts railways, common carriers, telephone companies and gas and electric companies.

Senator Chairman Williams declared on reserving to New York reporters today that the idea is gaining ground in Massachusetts.

Senator John J. Mitchell of Marlboro was almost as enthusiastic, but careful not to take the attitude of dictating to the committee.

No action has yet been taken by the Committee on the bill," Senator Mitchell said, "and there has been no formal vote. I am, however, frank to say that today's visit to the Public Utilities Commission was a revelation to every man of us.

14 Inspectors on Call.

"The New York Commissioners appear to be honest, independent men, who recognize the most trivial complaint from the most humble individuals. When a complaint comes to them one of the fourteen inspectors is immediately turned loose upon it. Railroads, railways, gas or electric companies, they all have the same attitude. Already they have tackled into between 2,000 and 3,000 complaints. Their office is open at 8 o'clock in the morning. It isn't closed until 7. Saturdays, Sundays and holidays—they're all alike.

"We got considerable information from the commissioners, too, and all the answered offhand every question they were pumped at them bearing on their organization, their work their plans, their hopes and their successes or failures.

"On Monday morning at Albany we shall talk with the men of the Massachusetts are in their office at Albany. Then well hurry back to get our hand at the Monday afternoon session."

TECH MEN TO FILL CITY STREET JOBS

Civil Service Board Will Give Non-Competitive Exams for Department Vacancies.

The Civil Service Commission has reported in its previous decision that all of Mayor Hibbard's deputy superintendents of the Street Department have been graded from the civil service list and have agreed to give any man whom Superintendent of Streets Emerson may select a non-competitive examination for the position, provided that in the opinion of the commission the selections are eminently qualified. The commission has stated that the position of deputy is filled by Edward Lawrence Chipman, a graduate of Technology and a member of the Boston Society of Civil Engineers. Chipman has been in the employ of the department for 15 years, and has been in charge of the Boston American Association of Engineers, Charles H. Cutter and Superintendent of Streets Department David H. Gillespie are stated to be in favor of Chipman's appointment as deputy superintendent of paving, will resume his former duties as chief engineer of the department. Mr Sullivan was removed by superintendent of streets Emerson because he had a foreman a rating of ninety-nine per cent, the highest percentage given by the Civil Service Commission. Mr. Sullivan has practically been graded up for the place, but it now appears that there is some hitch in the matter, and that Superintendent Emerson personally prefers Mr Sullivan.

AUTO CRASHES INTO CYCLIST

Two Cambridge boys of prominent families, Howard Bright, thirteen years old, living at No. 165 Brattle street, and Harold Green, 15 years old, of No. 132 Brattle street, had narrow death escapes from death late yesterday afternoon.

The two boys were riding on their bicycles on Brattle street, near Channing street, when they were struck by an automobile driven by Mr. Travers, a Harvard student, and owned by Mrs. Ida M. Payne, also a Harvard man.

The car in front turned out to the right and the boys were about to follow when the automobile behind collided with them, the force of the meeting hurling him to the ground. Nash escaped without a scratch. Bright sustained severe bruises

RODE 600 MILES FOR HORSE RUSTLERS

Bisbee, Ariz., May 2—Captain H. L. Wheeler of the Arizona State Rangers with Rangers Chase, Gunner and Hoyt, have arrived in this city after a 600-mile ride in the Chihuahua Mountains after horse thieves who have been annoying the ranchmen.

STOCK WATERING LEGALIZED BY BILL

House Bill 1,458 Gives Lighting Board Full Power in Limiting Capitalization.

Never since [illegible] Edward Ashley, of Dedham, and his army of hard hitting, [illegible] Massachusetts Legislature to pass bills favorable to particular interests [illegible] been such an attempt on foot [illegible] secure legislation for the benefit [illegible] and electric light companies [illegible] public interest as there is [illegible] asking for corporations, aided by [illegible] body, seek the enactment of a [illegible] bowing the lighting board to pass [illegible] for increases in capital [illegible] would vir[illegible] legalize stock watering.

Under the present [illegible] ration of gas companies is fixed [illegible] maximum at $1,500,000.

Permission of the [illegible] must be secured before gas companies can increase their capital above [illegible] amount. But House Bill No. 1458, which has passed the House and has gone to [illegible] reading in the Senate transfers the powers of the Legislature to the board of Gas and Electric Commissioners, authorizes [illegible] a limit on capitalization and [illegible] gas companies shares to permit an increased capitalization to any figure they may see fit.

The bill was reported by the Committee on Public Lighting with Senator Joseph F. Bailey of Lawrence dissenting. It still [illegible] by the House, added to by the Senate, representing every lighting company in the State and scraps of the [illegible] Commission.

On Friday it was passed to its third reading in the Senate. Senator Bailey has [illegible] amendment, however, intended to conserve the public interest, and the amendment [illegible] before the Senate on Wednesday. This, if adopted, will compel, not take the attitude of [illegible] for the increases of capital stock [illegible] to heed the recently enacted [illegible] watering, antimerger and debt watering laws.

The bill is strongly supported by the gas and electric lighting companies, which have [illegible] limit an increase in capital stock of [illegible] gas and electric lighting company in the State upon simple say so of the [illegible] Commission.

Improvements and additions, instead of being made [illegible] earnings, even though many gas companies in the State, notably those in Fall River and Lynn, have been paying 10 per cent dividends, would be made [illegible] increase in the capital stock the gas companies should without limitation see fit.

Not since J. Edward Addicks came to Massachusetts to [illegible] laws in the interests of the Fire Insurance Company, says Senator Bailey, "have the people of the State been confronted with such vicious legislation as that proposed in this new gas-electric combination bill. It not only removes every safeguard of over-capitalization, but it takes away from the Legislature the right to pass upon a matter most important to the people and gives this power to a board [illegible] removed from the people. It is down to bare [illegible] for stock watering and [illegible] reveals the gas and electric lighting companies are [illegible] the anti watering laws of 1894."

FESTIVAL TO AID ST. MARY'S ASYLUM

May Party Brilliant Success With "Half Hour in Fairyland" a Big Feature.

The May festival in the Mechanics building yesterday afternoon in aid of St. Mary's Infant Asylum was attended by a large crowd, and all the booths were well patronized. There were thirteen booths in the hall, all appropriately decorated, and during the afternoon dancing was indulged in by the children.

Music was furnished by Boston College orchestra, under the leadership of Miss Fitzgerald. A pleasing programme was rendered in the afternoon and evening. A "Half Hour in Fairyland" was arranged by Miss Mary O'Connell was given, and the following young ladies took part:

Misses Mary Gallagher, Edith Barry, Mary Fitzgerald, Mary Gray, Frances Sullivan, Dorothy Gertrude Cahill, Josephine Goldsmith, Margaret Sullivan, Madeline Mahoney, Mary Mullins, Agnes Cahill, Lillian Kelly, Violetta Cox, May Connors, Anna Mullins, Catherine McFarland, Mary Marshland, Ruth Gill, Gertrude Gallagher, Mary Cahill, Mary Cahill, Mary Mack, Frances Lucy McCarthy, Agnes Cahill, Dorothy Connors, Mary Marion Clark, Anna Lynch, Mary Cudahy, Mary Gertrude Sullivan, Agnes Gordon Weed.

Dance was and the following children participated: Mary Connors, Margaret Cahill, Anna Killeen, Mary Cahill, Agnes

COMEDIAN SURE HE CAN PICK WINNERS

He's Such a "Fan" That Mrs. Carle Has to "Root" Too to Keep Peace in Family.

HAS DOPE SHEET POSTED

Here, you baseball fans!

Take a peek at "Carle's Best Bets" and see how you like 'em.

Richard Carle, playwright, producer, comedian and baseball fan, has hopefully doped out his baseball list for 1908. He has lost on it against Charlie Marks, his manager, for the past five years. But Carle isn't discouraged. For the original Little Bright Eyes on the "Home springs eternal, etc," proposition is Richard Carle, P. C. & B. B. F.

Carle is dippy on baseball. He is always studying averages and percentages. It has ever been his pet "ambish" to decorate the baseball diamond and make double plays at that critical time when the other team had one to tie and two to win, one out and the bases full, and the heartiest batter had just cracked out a hot one and Dick Carle, the baseball player from Pingerville was there with the goods and, with that marvelous agility which is the envy of his friends and the despair of his rivals, he lined the ball to second base and pulled off a double play while the circumambient atmosphere was rent with the delirious bursts of "Carle, Hurrah for Carle" and the lumpersnous mob broke through all barriers and fourteen cops and bore the blushing hero in triumph from the field.

But It Is Not to Be. No, No.

It should read something like that in the morning papers if Carle could realize his fondest dream, but such it not to be, and he has to be content with being simply Richard Carle, P. I. C. & B. B. F.

As the next best thing to being a Raymond Lulay, Carle is a fan. He has the fan habit so bad that he makes out a dope-sheet every Spring on how the teams will finish at the end of the season and then goes around shooting for real money. He generally finds it.

His frames up his list, calls it "Carle's Best Bets" and posts it up in whatever theatre he is playing. Just now the list is posted up in the Colonial Theatre, where Carle and his company are blowing in "Mary's Lamb."

Carle bets with members of his company only and is very fierce about the settlement when he wins. For the last five seasons, when he has lost to Marks, there has been a large atmosphere of gloom about the Carle presence at the end of the season.

Sure Thing This Time.

But Richard is himself again, now, and says that his dope is so sure that it's a shame for him to take the money.

Carle goes to ball games as often as he can and drags Mrs. Carle, too. Many times he takes members of the company and once in a while entertains the whole crowd. A couple of times was last week, when he chartered a Washington car and took the "Mary's Lamb" company to see the Down-trim the Giants.

Most of his cronies are New York rooters, but there is no animosity in Carle at this game. Carle is for Boston, of course, being a native of Boston, but hasn't picked Boston for winners in either season this year, but he does like to see the Hub team climb.

Carle's "Dope" on the Teams' Finish

National League.	American League.
1—Chicago.	1—Chicago.
2—New York.	2—Philadelphia.
3—Boston.	3—Detroit.
4—Pittsburg.	4—New York.
5—Philadelphia.	5—Cleveland.
6—Brooklyn.	6—Boston.
7—Cincinnati.	7—St. Louis.
8—St. Louis.	8—Washington.

CARLE'S BET.

Carle takes even money for any amount. You have to bet on the whole list. If you bet a unit of one dollar on the National League, you bet one dollar on Chicago's standing, one on New York's and so on through. If any single team looks as bad as or better than Carle dopes it, then Carle wins on that team. If any single team finishes lower than he places it, Carle loses on that team.

Think it over!

'Dick' Carle Would Like to Be Baseball Star

BRIDESMAID TAKEN ILL IN RELIEF WORK

Marian Venn Sick With Scarlet Fever, Church Wedding Has to Be Postponed.

Because Marian Venn, a sister of the bride-to-be, is seriously ill of scarlet fever in the isolation hospital at Malden, Mr and Mrs. Frank Venn of Cement street in that city, have reluctantly received the invitations to what was to have been the church wedding and reception of their eldest daughter, L. Mabelle, and Mr. Warren Butler, and the ceremony will be performed at home.

Marian Venn was to have been her sister's maid of honor on Wednesday next at the First Baptist Church. Always interested in charity, she recently gave her time to the Chelsea relief work, in the rooms of the Associated Charities, and it is believed contributed somewhat to the handling vast quantities of clothing.

"I could not be wedded in public" her devoted sister said last night, "with fuss and feathers, music and decorations, flowers and crowds, while Marian is ill there in the hospital." Mr. Butler fully agrees with me and we shall arrange to receive our friends later."

The bridesmaids, all girls to each other have made up a subscription for the relief fund and will keep the robe, was for many years clerk to the superintendent of schools, but is now employed by a firm of bankers in Boston.

MRS. MURRAY QUITS CHILDREN'S BOARD

Declaring that her duties at home forbade her serving longer as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Children's Institutions Department, Mrs. Annie G. Murray, wife of Major George F. H. Murray, has tendered her resignation as a member of the board since 1896, yesterday handed in her resignation to Mayor Hibbard. It has not as yet been accepted.

ENOCH ARDEN AT THEATRE COMIQUE

Opening tonight at the Theatre Comique will be a dramatization of Tennyson's beautiful poem of true love and noble sacrifice, "Enoch Ardeu." It will be the feature number at the Comique throughout the first part of the week. The surrounding bill is of motion pictures and illustrated songs, presenting, as well known and popular entertainers, a miscellaneous programme of instrumental selections. The

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FITZPATRICK URGES HOME RULE CAUSE

In 20th Century Club Address Points Out Justice of Self-Government.

(Continued)

in the solidity of the Empire test the Irish people should have what every self-governing colony has—the power of managing their own affairs."

Plea From Australia.

"This remarkable pronouncement in favor of local self government for Ireland by the head of the British government is in keeping with the resolution of the Commonwealth Parliament of Australia, in their petition to the King: 'The sad history of Ireland since the act of union shows that no British Parliament can unbiassed by party strife deal with the economic and social conditions of that country. Enjoying as we do the blessings of home rule, we would humbly express the hope that a just measure of home rule may be granted to the people of Ireland.'

"The resolutions of the Australian Parliament and the active opposition of the Australian people in generously aiding Ireland's cause are substantial evidences that Ireland's grievances are felt by the people of land. Equally so in Canada. The Canadian Parliament and that of Australia, has placed itself on record in favor of Home Rule for Ireland. And the Canadian people have been most generous in their aid.

Spirit of Fair Play.

"What shall I say of the manner in which Ireland's grievances are met here in the United States? Millions of the Irish race in this country have felt the sting of these grievances, have protested against them, and will continue to protest against the unjust the wrong will be righted. Blood is not so thin, nor memory so fallible—as to be passive under the recital of such wrongs as Ireland has endured and continues to endure.

"Thanks to the spirit of justice and fair play in this great land of ours, the protest against a continuance of injustice to Ireland, and of these grievances, have protested the Irish race. No man is better fitted to sound this protest than the free American. His forefathers fought and died for the glorious privilege of representative government. To the credit of the free American be it said that he is fearless in the cause of his sympathy with Ireland's aims!"

RECOVERED LOOT IN EXPRESS ROBBERY

Pittsburg, Pa., May 2.—R. A. Mulligan, route agent of the Adams Express Company, to-night stated that the bulk of the under stolen Thursday night by the two t asked men who robbed the St. Louis "Limited," was recovered Friday afternoon by detectives. Just how much money was recovered the official refused to say. Despite reports to the contrary, the detectives have found no clew that would lead to the identity of the robbers.

Newport, R. I., May 2.—Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt has cut loose from all social affiliation with the family of the man from whom she expects to be freed by divorce this coming week.

Though she had been on friendly terms, apparently, with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Cornelius, Sr., the last ties between them were sundered when the young woman spurned the mother's pleas for a reconciliation with Alfred and the whirlwind of her divorce suit.

In the invitations Mrs. Vanderbilt issued for the $5,000 dance at ball she gave to-night at Harbour View Villa in honor of her niece, Pauline Leroy French, who is to be married Tuesday, none of the Vanderbilts were favored, and the social set see in Mrs. Vanderbilt's action a deliberate wash to the millionaire family of the man she still calls her husband.

War of Vanderbilt Women.

Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., has won many laurels as a leader of the New York four Hundred and to the Newport Sun, her colony, even outshining her mother in law as a social light during the long years of rivalry between them. But Elsie French Vanderbilt, as though cast down by her domestic troubles, would not be daunted in the service of her boudoir, has never been a conspicuous figure in society.

Now, like the rowboat bursting forth in the June sunlight after the Winter's end the young woman, already practically released from matrimonial ties that proved unhappy, has emerged from her companionable seclusion and has appeared on the social horizon as a leading figure in the life of both Newport and New York.

She is making elaborate plans for her residence at this fashionable watering place, and scores of workmen are busy in preparations for her occupancy of her "farm" on the island. The Summer colonists predict a bitter three-cornered society warfare for honors between Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Sr., the wife of young Cornelius and Elsie French Vanderbilt.

To night saw the first of the series of entertainments given by the latter—Mrs. French, Mrs. Vanderbilt's sister. Bishop Potter of Bridesmaids, most of whom are Newport girls, and the ball which followed a scene of splendor, the ballroom being ablaze with clusters of electric bulbs in varied colors and a band in full regalia playing gorgeous Japanese music. Fifty invitations were issued to the New port colonists.

First Big Wedding of Year.

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$700—BARBER SHOP, 4 chairs, short lease, shop and bath, fine location, fine trade, must clean $30 week. R. L. CASEY.

$2,000—BOSTON, 50 rooms, hotel, license, rent $7,000 year, $2,000 weekly bus., in heart of city, 5 floors. R. L. CASEY.

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$2,500—RESTAURANT seats 70, rent $30, depot trade, 6 miles from Boston, feed 1,500 day, short hours place, easy terms. R. L. CASEY, 28 School st.

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DARTMOUTH ST.—3 houses, 10 to 12 rooms, rent $25 to $75, income $120 to $300; $2,000 to $600, $250 down.

W. SPRINGFIELD ST.—3 beautiful houses, 13 rooms, rent $42; prices $500 to $600, part down.

ST. BOTOLPH ST.—4 houses, prices $600 to $1,000, 9 to 12 rooms, large incomes. Take house on all the different streets; some extra bargains. P. J. FINNERTY, 44 Dartmouth st.

HAYDEN, 258 Washington St.

$165—SMALL grocery store, family neighborhood; 8 rooms; rent $10, little brandy. HAYDEN.

$200—Variety store, opposite school; nice room connected; rent $15, genuine bargain. HAYDEN.

$325—Cash grocery, 8 attractive rooms, rent, $18; electric lights; fixtures; lifetime lease. HAYDEN.

$250—Variety, present owner 11 years; 2 rooms; rent, $8 week; chance seldom offered. HAYDEN.

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4 Full Quarts, $3.00
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Of all the [illegible] combination of [illegible] has been [illegible] been on [illegible] according to [illegible] has the call all [illegible] not already [illegible] why, send in an [illegible]

ONLY
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Another Bargain

We have a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

'PEACEMAKER' NEARLY READY TO FLY OVER HUB

Struggling Inventors Battled Against Great Odds, Now About to Realize Life Dreams.

Under the glimmering rays of arc lamps and with the adjacent neighborhood buried in profound slumber, Loveland M. Francis and Edward W. McGregor worked hardenedly all last night at the Huntington avenue baseball grounds, pumping twelve thousand feet of gas into the mammoth gas bag of their about a ramp, "Peacemaker," which is nearly completed and will in [illegible] another day or two for a flight over Boston.

The [illegible] from [illegible] have [illegible] cause [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] equipment [illegible] will startle [illegible] a [illegible] original. It will [illegible].

Realize Life Dreams.

The young inventors had hoped to have their creation in readiness for a private trial trip skyward today, but delays with a few minor details prevented this and they cannot expect now that it will be ready [illegible]. With the perfected [illegible] at hand, the life dreams of Mr. [illegible] and his associate partner, Mr. [illegible], are realized.

[illegible] a friendship of genuine human interest [illegible] these two men have [illegible] their plans to fulfillment. Mr. [illegible] is [illegible] of the two, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] He is [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the "L" power station on Albany street. He is an expert [illegible] and [illegible] begins at midnight and ends at light. His days he gives to the airship.

Mr. Francis comes from Watertown, N. Y. He has built airships before. They have been successful, but in no instance have they got out to show the world what the right kind of an airship really might be able to do.

It was when Francis was in a hospital in the west, suffering from a severe [illegible] bone, the result of a tumble from an airship that this "Peacemaker" was conceived. In the same hospital Francis and his partner first met. McGregor was a visitor at the institution. Both had often dreamed about a modern airship. Friendship [illegible].

In Struggle for Funds.

By a strange coincidence they became acquainted. Their conversation settled to airships and there exchanged their ideas. But plans without capital, both said, amounted to little, and each man being a workingman, with a family to support, it was an easy matter for them to count their cash. It was perseverance and pluck that put them on the right track after years of waiting.

It required months for the two young men to perfect the details of the "Peacemaker," and then, certain they would be able to revolutionize the airship standards of to-day by their improvements and inventions, they set to work. All the money they had to start with was what they had saved from their earnings. They stinted themselves of clothing. They gave up all pleasure. They worked. McGregor finishing his trick at the power station at 8 A. M. each day hustled out to the Huntington avenue baseball grounds and [illegible] found him busy nailing and assembling the different parts of the big gas bag. [illegible] of [illegible] yards of the cured cambric that makes up the gas bag.

Occasionally he was compelled by sheer exhaustion to give up and rest a few hours. Francis, while McGregor was at the ball grounds, labored quite as industriously and with similar determination at his workshop on the modern sixteen horse-power ninety pound engine.

To Make War Impossible.

[illegible] boat the engine himself. Every bolt and screw in the work of his own [illegible]. Its ability as also to carry [illegible] sack of the dropped dirt [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Part II—Main Section

Both Boston League Teams Are Defeated. Worcester Boys Win in the Stadium. Dead Heat at Jamaica. Holy Cross Beats Harvard. All the Auto News.

Boston American

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY NEWSPAPER

BOSTON, SUNDAY, MAY 3, 1908.

Part II—Main Section

Monday's Best Bargains in Boston's Busiest Department Stores and Complete Shoppers' Guide Will Be Found on the Home Page. Editorial Section.

STRANGE POISONING OF FAMED BEAUTY BAFFLING TO DOCTORS.

Medical Examiner's Autopsy Fails to Show Cause of Martha Soul's Death.

"MORPHINE," DOCTOR SAID

Strange Pills Which She Is Supposed to Have Taken Defy Analysis.

SECRET ROMANCE HINTED

Mysterious Telephone Call and Special Delivery Letter Figure in Case.

THE mystery surrounding the death of Miss Martha Soul, one of the most beautiful girls in Boston, hourly deepens.

Dr. William B. Cross, the family physician, who was called to attend her when she was found dying early yesterday morning by her parents in their home at No. 115 West Third street, South Boston, diagnosed her sufferings to be probably morphine poisoning.

Medical Examiner William G MacDonald, after performing an autopsy, still is undecided as to the exact cause of her death, and even is in doubt that she took a drug with suicidal intent.

"Worth Investigating."

Nothing has been established which shows a motive for self destruction.

It appears that Dr. Cross had ample reason for suspecting when he left the Soul home to a Boston Sunday American reporter, "It is a case worth investigating."

When Medical Examiner MacDonald was asked last evening to state whether or not the girl, whose charms was so great that a year ago she was awarded the palm in a beauty contest, was a suicide, he replied:

"I do not yet know whether Miss Soul's death was due to suicide or not. I have performed no autopsy on her body, but have not even finished my investigations in connection with the autopsies. Therefore, I cannot say what my final report as to the exact cause of death will be.

"What I can say is, I have made no post mortem that would lead to morphine poisoning. I have been able to find no evidence of the pills that were found on the bed, under her pillow and scattered about. I have tried the usual tests, and the regular test and they do not answer to the tests.

Find Strange Pills

I performed the autopsy on her body this afternoon in the City Hospital morgue. I shall make an analysis of the pills to determine what they are composed of. I cannot say now whether or not the pills caused her death.

Another statement made by Medical Examiner MacDonald stated that her character was beyond reproach. He added:

"I see positively no reason to know what made the young woman could care for committing suicide. I have examined all her effects and found nothing that would throw any light whatever on the case. She appeared, as far as far away as ever from a desperate cause for her wishing to die.

It was thought by some of her friends and some who were concerned in investigating the case that a sudden shock, fright or access of nervousness of the heart might have led her to seek in the grave a peace that had departed from her in life. Facts that led to this conclusion were a call to a telephone booth during the afternoon on Sunday evening last, and her dependency after an interview over the wire with, it was presumed, a young man.

Seemed Depressed.

It is said that she refused to tell her mother what depressed her and was sad for several days. But before the day of death she was light at heart, if her manner had meaning, and took enough interest in life to buy a new dress, and to visit a department store where she had formerly worked and to chat gaily with friends.

It was known that late last Thursday she received a special delivery letter, and its contents, it was surmised, might have had a strong influence in determining her fate. But that is all conjecture, for parents and others knew of this letter, but nothing regarding its contents has been made public.

The story of her last hours shed no light on the question.

She was cheerful at supper on Friday night, and after meal told her mother she was going out for a few minutes, and in so doing left the house. She returned a long talk over the telephone. To this she went to another drug store.

Those who investigated the case would like to know where she bought the mysterious tablets which are supposed to be morphine, but which have baffled Medical Examiner McDonald.

Visited Drug Store.

Miss Soul was the girl who called at the drug store of Henry C Bispham at No. 472 Tremont street Friday evening and asked for morphine. She was refused to sell her.

Mr. Bispham, who is one of the best known druggists in Boston, said:

"Miss Soul came into my store about 6:15 Friday evening and asked me for a 1/4 of a grain of morphine. I refused. She then asked me for a 1/8 of a grain. I refused again. She then asked me for a grain of morphine. I refused again. She then asked me for a grain of morphine. I refused again. She then asked me for a grain of morphine

STRANGE POISON DEFIES AUTOPSY

Prize Beauty's Mysterious Death Baffles Medical Examiner.

BOX OF TABLETS ON PILLOW

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the whaling s was home of Wyeth & Co. at No. 240 Summer street. He has worked for that house some time years, and was today he was assistant clerk in the kitchen. It was said that he had gone on a business trip through New York State and would keep him from home for two or three weeks, but information to that effect was denied yesterday afternoon when reporters called at the house. Young [illegible] father was seen [illegible] and when asked [illegible] a statement with Miss Soul said:

[illegible] that they had known Miss Noni [illegible] had been acquainted for [illegible] But I do not believe they [illegible] He took her to the theatre [illegible] Wednesday night and was to [illegible] escort to another theatre [illegible]

Says He Wrote Letter.

He took her to dances. But I have [illegible] reason to believe there was a sentiment [illegible] between them. I know he took an interest in her welfare. I am told he wrote her a letter advising [illegible] the best manner of a certain [illegible] and must have taken [illegible] received it [illegible] Wednesday and called her to the [illegible] night and it was in [illegible] the letter she received [illegible]

[illegible] to New York to night [illegible] He is not at home [illegible]

[illegible] of the statements made yesterday [illegible] Miss Noni [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

CHELSEA VICTIMS LOCATE IN SUBURBS

Influx of Homeless Creates a Heavy Demand for Suitable Apartments.

BIG BOOM ALONG SHORE

Cottages Fast Going Up for the Summer at Winthrop and Revere.

By the Investigator.

What will become of the burned district of Chelsea? This is being discussed by not a few real estate men. Many think that many of the owners of land in Chelsea will not rebuild and that property there will generally change hands. Already many of the former residents of the burned district have gone elsewhere and made definite arrangements for a new home in other sections. Some who can afford it have settled in the Newtons, others have gone to Dorchester, South Boston, Everett, Charlestown, Cambridge and Somerville.

Boom on at Mattapan.

On Oakland street, within a short distance of Mattapan square, is a new territory which, on account of its easy accessibility to the city and five-cent fare, is destined to become a very popular residential centre. As one looks at it to-day and notices the different lines of car service, as well as the growth of the section within the last few years, one sees here an unusual opportunity to get building lots within eight minutes of the Forest Hills terminal at remarkably low prices. This is the last large tract of land in the city of Boston where the prices run as low as sixty-nine dollars up to two hundred and seventy-five dollars.

The property is called Homeward Terrace by its promoters, H. S. Moody Land Company, who are large dealers in realty throughout New England. The land is elevated, commanding a fine view of the surrounding country with the Blue Hills in the distance, and may be purchased on monthly payments with every advantage given the customer.

Building at Winthrop.

Not far from the Dorchester station the Investigator had pointed out forty-foot lots where former owners were charging thirty-five cents a foot that are now selling at eighteen cents. There is a neighborhood on Neptune road, on the line of Bernard, where many new houses are in course of erection. There is no assessment for the sewer to the purchasers of lots in this district. This is a point which must not be overlooked in the purchase of lots in city limits.

Winthrop shows a steady advance and is a good instance of how real estate can can be lifted out the growth and prosperity of a live suburb.

The conservative firm of Edward T. Harrington Company have sold more lots in the centre of town and County Farm territory and have materially advanced the building of cheap houses. Consequently their energy and business judgment are displayed in the manner in which they have met and solved the demand for some high-priced estates in this section.

Housebuilding in Revere.

Revere is becoming more than ever a residential section. Revere Heights, Revere Beach, Beachmont, Point of Pines, Crescent Beach and North Revere all provide desirable shore locations. The train service is increasing and the latter section, its population is over 15,000, and with its well-paved streets, handsome attractive public buildings and the boulevards, making it a pleasing resort to reside in. Summer values have increased rapidly. Seashore lots are selling from $1,000 to $1,000.

Houses are bringing good prices, and there is a great demand for them. Only a few are on the market at present. Suburban avenue sets specially attractive.

Just Winthrop, a boat ride from Boston of about fifty acres of hill and shore land, is especially attractive. Its nearness to the city and of Winthrop Beach, into Boston Harbor, is only five miles from the State House. The developers claim that it is somewhat secluded and yet has every advantage of a suburban location. Prices are cheap there, with a stretch of the ocean on one side and the harbor on the other, and may be had on very favorable terms.

Money in Apartments.

It will not be many years before this point will be occupied by people who will live there all the year round as the temperature is somewhat warmer in Winter than in Boston.

Apartment houses in Roxbury yield over $2,500 and income on investment over $50,000. Many of these have eighteen suites, five rooms and bath, with every modern convenience, including steam heat and rent from $25 to $28 a month. Much money is going into this type of investment.

A good class of three-family houses are being built on Seaver Huntington ave nue, overlooking the Jamaica Parkway. The suites contain five or six rooms and bath, and rent for twenty-five and thirty dollars a month. After paying taxes, water rate and interest on the type of investment property, the net income is about 30 per cent. They are all modern, up-to-date structures built in a select neighborhood where the Trinity Church corporation of Boston will build the Rachel Allen Home and Vincent Hospital.

To Bar Wooden Tenements.

The Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange has introduced a bill into the Legislature endeavoring to prevent the erection of three-family wooden houses within the limits of Boston. There may be good reason to object to such houses in certain congested parts of Boston, but as a rule such a law as this bill calls for would work hardships to the tenants, the land owner and real estate investor generally. Many of the real estate men feel if it is the three-family wooden house in the city limits which is to develop certain outlying districts of Boston, as it has in the past, the type of house has always been popular.

It is argued against by certain localities where the one family house or two-family house is rigidly maintained, but there are other sections of land in the limits of Boston, where the building of the three-family or two-family house would be a paying proposition.

This bill is likely to be very unpopular among certain promoters who cannot help but feel that they are discriminated against, and will do all in their power to prevent its passage.

Urges Conservatism.

The Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange is only a recent organization, but has already established many excellent projects for improving the conditions of the real estate handled in New England. The organization must not, however, be too anxious in its plans of reform.

What it can do it was well expressed by Robert B. Peabody at the dinner of the exchange this week at Young's, in part as follows: "The organization of this exchange is doing some necessary improvements in the classification and advertising of real estate. It should be modest as to them that form its membership and guard against any such as would injure the business in Boston to awaken the public mind and real estate men generally. Many of the real estate men feel if it is the three-family wooden house in the city limits which is to develop certain outlying districts of Boston, as it has in the past, the type of house has always been popular.

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Activity in Melrose.

Property north of Boston continues to show increased demands upon the agents. Melrose has a few houses from six to nine rooms each, selling all the way from $1,500 to $3,000. These houses are well finished and are good specimens of what are to be had for cash or easy terms. This town is especially situated near the Middlesex Fells Park, bordering on Spot pond, surrounded with a scenery in the bold mountainous section, and has altogether a splendid outlook for it.

Brighton has unusual access through attractive avenues to the city proper and is receiving a good trade and may be purchased from three-fifths to fifty cents a foot.

Rare Bargains in Homes at Shore and in Suburbs

REALTY MARKET BOOM GROWS DAILY, HUB BROKERS REPORT

Sales Become Daily More Numerous; City and Suburban Property in Demand.

Real estate agents throughout Greater Boston district report increased sales of property are daily becoming more numerous. During the week a large number of sites in the city proper were sold to good prices and in the outlying districts there were some good trades recorded. The Edward T. Harrington Company says that last week was the best since the company was organized and reports the closing out of a tract in the Chestnut Hill district.

It is expected that on the completion of the new Boston & Albany railroad bridge, which will eliminate the present grade crossing at Cottage Farm, both sides of the road will be built up and many deals now pending will be closed.

Boston.

The Edward T. Harrington Company reports the sale of a lot of land on Bowdoin street, Dorchester, containing 4,947 square feet, extending through to Park street, 4,422 square feet, to Daniel Sullivan, who has purchased the property was sold for Grace Parkman to M. A. Sullivan, who has held it for investment.

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Charles S. Johnson has sold for Annie Bancroft Hall her estate of eight flats, and three stores at 1 and 3 Mount Vernon street, all assessed for $150,000. Mount Vernon street is a short street, but is one of the best known in the city proper.

Sandy Mandowney, loan for investment on private funds.

Katie Fitts transfers No. 70 Hudson street to Nora Sharkey. There is a brick house, assessed for $2,000, and the whole land area is 2,000 square feet, more or less.

John F. Fanning has sold to Lloyd Newton, first, corner of Harrison avenue, consisting of a four-story brick building, assessed for $20,000, and the land area is 1,000 square feet.

Sale of property on Hudson street

STATE CONVENTIONS OF NATIONALS NOW BEGIN AS THE OLD PARTY BOSSES WATCH

NEW PARTY RANKS FILLING UP FOR GREAT NATIONAL BATTLE

LEADERS READY FOR INDEPENDENT FIGHT

Newspapers See Greatest Opportunity for Independent Voters This Year Because of the Disruption of Republican and Democratic Organizations.

STRONG CAMPAIGN IN SOUTH NOW UNDER WAY

Massachusetts Expects Much Larger National Party Vote Than Last Year, and California, New York and Illinois Leaders Believe Results in South and Middle West Will Amaze the Country.

TAKING impetus in new directions every day, the National Independence Party doctrine is now spreading into sections of the country where it was believed to have little chance by reason of the firm intrenchment of the old parties.

The dinner of the new party in this city last Monday did much to bring into the open independent voters all over the country who up to that time did not feel like giving up their lifelong political affiliations for the new party which they did not altogether understand. The fact, though, that American principles that can make only for the betterment of the whole nation were enunciated by William Randolph Hearst, Thomas L. Hisgen, of Massachusetts; Charles A. Walsh, of Illinois; Gessner Williams, of California; R. M. Isherwood, of Indiana; John Temple Graves, the noted Georgian, and other well-known men of the East and West, was apparently convincing enough for all doubtful voters. The organizers throughout the country have reported that since the publication of the dinner speeches their organizations have increased in numbers almost as rapidly as might be expected if the election were but a few weeks away.

Newspapers throughout the country have been expressing their belief that at the dinner the Presidential boom of some new party man would be launched, and the opposition press was convinced that the only result of the dinner would be the avowed candidacy of Mr. Hearst. Because no such programme was carried out and because all the speakers, instead of wasting words on candidates, devoted all of their time to the discussion of the National Party and what it stands for and what it intends to do, the newspapers are as much mystified now as they were immediately after the Chicago conference.

They continue, however, to point out that the Mayoralty recount in New York is doing a great deal to hold Mr. Hearst before the nation most prominently.

To achieve new party campaign has now started in Florida, and Southern leaders will announce the National committeemen for most of the Southern States during the coming fortnight. The New York State convention yesterday is the beginning of the National Party State conventions, and in rapid succession Massachusetts, California and Illinois will hold theirs.

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THE MASSACHUSETTS SITUATION

(From the Tacoma, Wash., Ledger.)

Evidence of the activity of the Independence party and of the position it occupies in Massachusetts to the Democratic party is found. * * *

It may be seen on what a doubtful basis rested the claim of the Democratic party that it is one of the two leading parties in Massachusetts. The Independence party will have a ticket in the field again next Fall and expects then to establish itself as one of the two leading parties.

These facts are noteworthy in view of the announcement that the new party will have a candidate for President this year, and in view of the intention of William R. Hearst to oppose Bryan.

"HEARST HOPES TO UNITE ALL RADICALS"

(From the Nashua, N. H., Telegraph.)

It is probable that Colonel John Temple Graves speaks with authority in his positive announcement at Norfolk that Mr. Hearst will not be the Presidential candidate of the Independence League, and that the League would not support the nominee of either of the two old political parties. Mr. Hearst was formerly willingness to advance his candidacy. It seems now unlikely that Bryan can secure the adherence by any appeal or concession. Governor Johnson can expect no more from Hearst than Mr. Bryan, for the determination to build up a new party for the service of this campaign at least is a fixed conclusion.

There is some probability of a fusion or political deal of some kind between the Populist party and the new Independence party. Hearst is on good terms with Watson, the Populist nominee, and the effort will probably be made to reconcile the points of difference.

Hearst is hoping to unseat Mayor McClellan and make the Mayoralty of New York a stepping stone to the Presidency. That is shrewd calculation, if it can be worked, but Hearst's hopes to unite by that time the radicals upon him is now intentionally splitting.

The man who seems to be the most favored to-day in his mind for the nomination of the new party is Thomas L. Hisgen of West Springfield, who ran so strongly as the League candidate for Governor of Massachusetts.

Thinks Nationals Would Back Hughes

(From the Rochester Times.)

In all the talk of Presidential candidates the New York State gubernatorial contest is not by any means forgotten by Democrats and Republicans. The Democrats are far more concerned over it than the Republicans, because there is a dearth of timber among the Democrats from which to select candidates with even a gleam of a show of winning. The Democratic leaders are afraid that if they do not nominate some man who will assure the indorsement of the Independence League, that the Leagues will nominate Hughes and make an embarrassing three-cornered fight.

The one in the Democratic State convention has encouraged the Independence Leaguers all over the State, as it enhances the League's chance of being an important factor in the naming of candidates. The League claims to have polled 181,000 votes for its State ticket in 1906, and is, therefore, entitled to voluntary consideration from opponents.

"SLIM CLAIM OF BAY STATE DEMOCRATS"

(From the Tacoma, Wash., Ledger.)

Evidence of the activity of the Independence party and of the position it occupies in Massachusetts to the Democratic party is found in the recent attempt of the league to force assignment of its members where the law provides that bipartisan boards shall be made up of the two leading political parties. In this suit the League lost in the Supreme Court, but the court points out that if the League could in any way show that it was one of the two leading political parties, but it had a narrow escape. The Independence League candidate for Governor received more votes at the last election than the Democratic candidate received under the designation "Democratic." It happened, however, that Henry M. Whitney, the Democratic candidate, was also on the ticket as "Democratic citizen." This was because of a factional fight and a split in the Democratic State convention. The Supreme Court holds that the "Democratic citizen" votes should be added to the "Democratic" and thus it finds the Democratic party is still one of the leading political parties. These facts are noteworthy in view of the announcement that the League will have a candidate for President this year and in view of the intention of William R. Hearst to oppose Bryan.

'INDEPENDENTS ARE STRONGEST IN N. Y.'

(From the Wilmington, N. C., Dispatch.)

Judging by the manner in which New York has lined up against Colonel Bryan that distinguished gentleman, if nominated, is going to find it hard to carry the State. It is true that opposition should not sound that far, but there is too much grumbling, too much plainly apparent dissatisfaction for a person to think otherwise. Of course, there could be a change, and we trust there will be for the sake of Democracy, because no matter what the division at present the party should stand solid and united for the convention. And with New York this is especially so, because not only will the Republican forces have to be reckoned with, but there is also the Hearst Independence League is strongest But Hearst's New York game is making a big noise against Colonel Bryan, and it has a right to do so.

'MAYOR'S COUNSEL DELAYS RECOUNT'

(From the New York Press.)

Taking advantage of every opportunity the evidence offered and hanging hard to technicalities, counsel for Mayor McClellan yesterday sought industriously for points that might possibly throw doubt on the validity of the ballots cast in the city election of 1905 in the continuation of the contest proceedings before Justice Lambert in the Supreme Court. The preponderance of evidence thus far adduced is regarded as tending to show that the ballots have been properly preserved and that they are the identical ballots cast. The contention that Hearst and not McClellan received mayor.

There is still a mass of evidence to be introduced in part, as many have been kept inviolate, and it is probable that it will be well into next month before any of the boxes are opened for a recount. Counsel for the Mayor are determined to drag the recount along by insisting upon witnessing every witness on the most technical points.

The extent to which the counsel for the defence are bent on going in the examination of the witnesses was shown yesterday when they followed up the point as to Hearst having voted for tax coffee and sandwiches supplied by the police and civilian guards who were the bones for several months in the latter part of 1905 and early in 1906. The purpose of this testimony was to indicate that the Hearst watchers and the police guards were on friendly terms and that it was possible that these might have been a conspiracy to tamper with the ballot boxes in the interest of Hearst. It is believed Lamb expected the utmost freedom at the examination of the witnesses in order that the point now taken up are not excluded, cherished on that they have not might be firmly established.

Activity Now Seen in Ohio Districts

(From the Youngstown, O., Telegraph.)

The Independence League, William Randolph Hearst's third great political party, will effect an organization in Mahoning County

John A. Mulholland of Toledo, attorney and politician, has written to a number of Youngstown men, both Democrats and Republicans, seeking information regarding the possible strength of an Independence League movement in this county. A leader for the new party is also sought here.

The League purposes to organize in every county in the State of Ohio before the November election and will nominate a candidate for Congress in the Eighteenth District.

"What Peg Left for Democratic Party If—?"

(From the Washington Post.)

The panic of 1907 came at a most inauspicious time, just before "Presidential year." If the Democratic party were the old party of Tilden, Thurman, Hendricks and Morrison, the Republicans would go to the sanctuary this year without a doubt, but it is another, a new Republican Democracy, and if the expected comes to pass it will be the slaughter in November.

There, if the Republicans should make a revision of the tariff half way acceptable to business, what peg will be left for the Democratic party to stand on?

Mr. William R. Hearst sees none; but he is busy digging pegs for the success of the Democratic party as a form-liable force in politics to stand on this campaign and then into insensibility, causing his death.

WORK GOING ON IN NEW YORK STATE

(From the Rochester Democrat.)

State Organizers F. E. Cronin and W. J. Smith of the New York Independence League were in the city yesterday looking over the political situation. They held conferences with prominent leaguers of the local branch of the League regarding the feeling among the Leaguers as to the nomination of a full State ticket.

Organizer Cronin said that he found in all parts of the State a demand that the Independence League place a full ticket in the field this Fall, and go before the people on its own votes, instead of combining with either of the old parties. He said he believed that the State committee of the League would see fit to name a full ticket, and that in view of the factional strife among the Democrats in all parts of the State it would receive a very heavy vote. He thought that a ticket composed of representative Leaguers would have a fair chance of carrying the State at least one year against the Republican ticket.

In New York city, Mr. Cronin believed the League would poll a very heavy vote, much better than it did two years ago, because of the feeling against Tammany Hall and its chief, Hon. Boss Murphy. He said that in many of the up State counties there was dissatisfaction with the Murphy-Connors regime and that many of the dissatisfied Democrats would vote the League ticket while Republicans who would seldom support Hughes if nominated for Governor and who will prefer to stand by the machine in case another man is nominated would join with the Leaguers this Fall.

'M'CLELLAN SHOWED ANXIETY TO DELAY'

(From the Brooklyn Times.)

The confidence of the friends of Mayor McClellan in the validity of his election has endured a severe strain by the exercise of the rights lawyers have made in the courts and elsewhere during the past two years to prevent a recount of the ballots. It will not gain much strength by the plea put forth by his counsel yesterday that in all probability the contents of the ballot boxes may have been changed during the two years and a half which have passed since they were first sealed up. To assume that his own friends and appointees have engaged in a criminal conspiracy to deprive him of his seat. The ballot boxes have been in the daily charge and under the watch of the police during all of that long period, and the friends of the Mayor have much more apparent ground to make such a charge. The members of the Board of Elections, who have been the custodians of the ballots, have done nothing to Mr. Hearst, and have not been suspected of undue friendliness to him, and it would be unfair that such criminal tampering with the ballot boxes as the Mayor's counsel refers to fear would be impossible without detection.

It would be a great relief to the friends of the Mayor and to the public in general if the Chief Magistrate and his lawyers showed the same anxiety to facilitate the recount that they have persistently taken to obstruct and defeat it.

BACK CUMMINGS FOR A. O. H. CHIEF

Hibernians all over the State are making active preparations for the biennial session of the national body to be held in Indianapolis in August. New England delegates will urge the reelection of National President Matthew J. Cummings of Boston for a second term.

The afternoon at 3 o'clock the Norfolk County board of the order will meet in Historic Hall, Tremont building, Washington street, South Boston, to elect delegates to represent the county at the convention.

Division No. 10 will meet at No. 3 Boylston place this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

National Organizer George H. Sheehan, editor of the Boston Hibernian, will preside at the semi-monthly meeting of Division 60 in Deacon Hall this evening.

FARMERS RUN TRAIN AT 20-POLE POWER

Mattoon, Ill., May 2.—Farmers between Shumway and Effingham [illegible] Bulich cost them nothing, and which they operate by pushing a large handcar with long poles.

Six miles of track between the two towns was abandoned eight months ago, the Wabash National became it almost pay.

Farmers built a handcar upon which twenty can ride. They call it the "daylight limited," and make regular trips from end to end of the line on market days.

COHEN FUND NOW NEAR $10,000 MARK

The Cohen (Driscoll) fund has now nearly reached the $10,000 figure, the amount practically subscribed being $9,800.10, later contributions are: Theatrical Stage Employes No. 23 of Providence, $5; Cigar-makers No. 648 of Alamogordo, N. M., 80 cents; Typographical Union No. 13 of Boston, $18.25; Theatrical Stage Employes of Altoona, Pa., No. 150, $2; Cigarmakers No. 504 of Racine, Wis., $5.40. Total, $9,750.34.

KATE DOUGLAS WIGGIN INJURED

New York, May 2.—Mrs. Riggs (Kate Douglas Wiggin) has arrived safely in England, whither she sailed April 8, but she had a narrow escape on the way over. The upper berth in her cabin slipped its moorings one morning and tumbled down on her. She was pinned under the wreckage and bruised about the chest and shoulders.

BEAT MAN TO DEATH FOR KILLING A DOG

Meigs, Ga., May 2.—John Dye, a young man, the only dependence of a widowed mother, is reported to have been literally beaten to death by the owner of a dog which Dye killed while he was worrying a sheep.

The dog belonged to a man named Cullen, with his sons, called Dye out of the house and beat and kicked and

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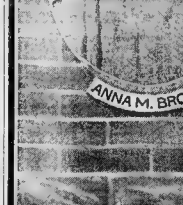

HEADS CHURCH 40 YEARS; NO MONEY

Kansas City, Mo., May 2.—Head of church for forty years and without a dollar to call his own.

This is the remarkable statement made to-day by President Smith during a discussion involving the financial condition of the ministers and missionaries of the re-organized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

The discussion was brought about by a resolution concerning ministerial salaries.

SLOW TO BUCKET SHOPS.

[illegible] May 2.—The Grand Jury [illegible] to-day after [illegible] shops' business here to-day when it reported indictments against thirty-four operators and employes of such establishments.

INDIANS KIDNAP A WHOLE FAMILY

El Paso, Tex., May 2.—Telegram received here to relatives of W. R. Baker from Hermosillo, State of Sonora, Mexico, say that Baker has been killed by the Yaqui Indians, and that his family had been carried away by the Indians. The family includes wife, two sons, aged seventeen and nineteen years; two daughters, aged seven and five years; boy infant, four years old, and two babies, three years and six months old.

ENDS LIFE WITH BULLET.

New York, May 2.—Frederick S. Riley, manager of the New York Pumping Station, committed suicide here to-day. When his body was found a revolver was clutched in the right hand and a bullet hole was found in the temple.

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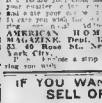

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BULLS ARE PUT TO ROUT AS MARKET CLOSES; STOCKS TAKE SUDDEN DROP

PROFIT-TAKING BRINGS DECLINE

Trading Heavy With Union Pacific Leading Until Bears Triumph; Prices Tumble.

After showing a very "bullish" sentiment for the better part of two hours, the New York stock market ran into a reaction near the close yesterday and the "bull" manipulators lost their hold in the closing minutes the gains which had been made were lost.

All during the week the market has been giving the "shorts" a lively run of it and with sentiment toward higher prices the course upward has been considered. The reaction at the close yesterday, however, looked as though it had stood backing and its deeds as registered were in those stocks which were most prominent in the movement toward higher levels. Profit-taking was responsible for some of the decline and many who had bought stock at low levels sold out at the high prices reached yesterday, thereby helping the reaction.

Union Pacific has been the recipient of considerable manipulation lately and yesterday was no exception. There was not another stock on the entire list which showed anywhere near the total which was shown in this stock and during the two hours over 130,000 shares were sold.

Union Pacific Trading Heavy.

The coming bond sale of this railroad is causing a great deal of comment in financial circles and the general opinion of opinion is that it will meet with as good success as that of the Pennsylvania road. The selling price for the issue, it is yesterday was 102½ and soon after 104¾ was reported there was a noncommittal reaction near the start which caused the price to sag back to 102½, but this loss was soon recovered and 104¾ was quoted at the close.

Reading was also fairly busy, although the rates did not reach anywhere near the totals of Union Pacific, and at the close 100¾ off by from the previous close was recorded. The metal stocks were dull, very few sales being recorded.

Outside of the decrease in loans, which amounted to $63,600, the New York bank statement was favorable. The surplus increased $683,650 and the cash holdings increased over $ million. The percentage of loans to deposits of banks was larger by $3,3 than that of the week previous.

The Boston market was content to follow New York, which was closed out on Wall Street and prices during yesterday remained dull in comparison with the larger market. The trading after a few minutes at the start proved dull and the sales part of the business transacted was a few specialties.

Prices started at a level that was slightly higher than that of the previous close. Then the "bulls" began to force prices once and, aided by the advance in prices in the New York market, gains, fractional at the very most, were registered against the local issues. This movement continued up to the closing minutes, with only one or two interruptions and then pressure was brought to bear on the larger market and from a buying affair the market was turned into a selling market and prices slid off rapidly.

Conservative market followers hold to the belief that the reaction yesterday was only momentary, caused by profit taking on the part of those who had bought stocks at low prices and were satisfied with the profits that would accrue to them on the sale of their holdings at the present time. Others look for a further upward movement in the coppers has been against the sentiment that the spreading and that there is no reason for the movement.

Amalgamated Leads Rise.

In the first hour everything pointed to buoyancy. The advances were moderate, rarely exceeding a point, but the movement was so general and the sentiment seemed to be so favorable that higher prices for all it was thought the market was in for a decided rise. Amalgamated Copper led all during the early trading, but in the last half hour Smelting preferred and Shoe Machinery jumped to the fore.

In Amalgamated Copper it is heard that New York buying, and during the week a great many purchases were attributed to this source. The stock on yesterday's day was 66¾, up 8 from the previous close, and after a short reaction 67 was reached. In the last half hour, however, the stock suffered, and under this pressure which cropped out the price declined to 66¾, with new stock coming out as appearance on every loss in price. There one or two small rallies made when the decline started, but they were trifling, and at the end 66¾, up only ¾ from the low price, was quoted. There were 8,674 shares of this stock sold.

For many days State street has been hearing rumors of an exceptionally good "plum" coming in store for the holders of Shoe Machinery and on the strength of the rumors the stock has been making some advances. These have not been extraordinary in the shares. Yesterday the culmination of this movement appeared to be in sight, opening through the early hour with something over 1,400 shares to be sold, a movement was started in the last half hour which forced the price up to 55¾, and resulted in 1,916 shares being sold in the last thirty minutes of trading. The total shares sold during the day were 3,000.

Reports are still current that North Butte and Butte Coalition may be taken into the Amalgamated Copper fold, but no rumor was used to good effect yesterday and these two stocks, except Amalgamated and Shoe Machinery in the way of activity.

Decline in Butte Coalition.

Butte Coalition, while active, was one of the stocks which reflected the decline which occurred at the close, and after opening at 23 and touching 23¾ the slump at the end sent the price down to 22¾. Over 1800 shares were sold. North Butte, the other "nearby" stock, was also a bit better off as far as price changes went and advanced to 30¾, from a low mark of 30¼, but the closing indications showed that this stock was unsaleable and at the close 30¾ were sold. Superior and Pittsburg was quoted. Steel common was firm and active at 36.

Bankers throughout the country agree that the supply of money on hand will far exceed the demand and some go so far as to say that the present easy condition will continue for some time. It will need less than one Pennsylvania loan flotation to restore confidence completely, and that movement is under way in particular attention to the names of borrowers. Despite the fact that there is certain an extremely large supply of cash States are extremely liberal money can be obtained at very low figures.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Following were the high, low and closing prices below today:

	High.	Low.	Closing
Amalgamated Copper	67¼	66¼	66¾
Am. Car & Foundry	39¾	39¼	39¼
Am. Cotton Oil	56¾	56¾	56¾
Am. Hide & Leather	19¾	19¾	19¾
Am. Hide & Leather pf	69¾	69¾	69¾
Am. Locomotive	39¾	38¾	39¼
Am. Locomotive pf	109¾	109	109
Am. Smelting	69¾	68¾	69¾
Am. Smelting pf	96¾	94¾	96¾
Am. Sugar Refining	131¾	131¾	131¾
Am. Tobacco pf	94¾	94¾	94¾
Anaconda	47¾	47¼	47¾
Atchison	91¾	90¾	91¾
Atchison pf	94¾	94¾	94¾
Baltimore & Ohio	93¾	92¾	93¾
Brooklyn Rapid T	44¾	44¼	44¾
Canadian Pac	156¾	156	156
Canada Southern	59¾	59¾	59¾
Central Leather	35¾	35¼	35¾
Central Leather pf	97¾	97¾	97¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	59¾	59¾	59¾
Chic. & Northwestern	152¾	152¾	152¾
C. C. C. & St. Louis	99¾	99¾	99¾
Colorado Fuel	37¾	37¾	37¾
Colorado Southern	37¾	37¾	37¾
Colorado So. 2d pf	70¾	70¾	70¾
Consolidated Gas	141¾	141¾	141¾
Corn Products	13¾	13¾	13¾
Corn Products pf	85¾	85¾	85¾
Delaware & Hudson	179¾	179¾	179¾
Delaware, Lack. & W.	350	350	350
Denver & Rio Grande	29¾	29¾	29¾
Denver & Rio Grande pf	69¾	69¾	69¾
Distillers' Securities	45¾	45¾	45¾
Erie	30¾	30¾	30¾
Erie 1st pf	44¾	44¾	44¾
Erie 2d pf	34¾	34¾	34¾
General Electric	164¾	164¾	164¾
Great Northern pf	128¾	128¾	128¾
Great Northern Ore	74¾	74¾	74¾
Interborough-Met	30¾	30¾	30¾
Interborough-Met pf	74¾	74¾	74¾
International Paper	19¾	19¾	19¾
International Paper pf	70¾	70¾	70¾
Iowa Central	25¾	25¾	25¾
Kansas City Southern	34¾	34¾	34¾
Kansas City So. pf	70¾	70¾	70¾
Lake Erie & W.	19¾	19¾	19¾
Lake Erie & W. pf	69¾	69¾	69¾
Louisville & Nash	141¾	141¾	141¾
Manhattan Elevated	154¾	154¾	154¾
Missouri Pacific	69¾	69¾	69¾
National Biscuit	112	111¾	112
National Biscuit pf	130¾	130¾	130¾
Nat. Lead	69¾	68¾	69¾
National Lead pf	107¾	107¾	107¾
New York Central	134¾	134¾	134¾
New York, New H. & H	136	136	136
Norfolk & West.	79¾	79¾	79¾
Norfolk & West. pf	87¾	87¾	87¾
North American	74¾	74¾	74¾
Northern Pacific	134¾	134¾	134¾
Pacific Coast	53¾	53¾	53¾
Pacific Coast 1st pf	120¾	120¾	120¾
Pacific Coast 2d pf	110¾	110¾	110¾
Pennsylvania	130¾	130¾	130¾
People's Gas	103¾	103¾	103¾
Pittsburg Coal pf	87¾	87¾	87¾
Reading	160¾	160¾	160¾
Reading 1st pf	87¾	87¾	87¾
Rep. Iron & Steel	37¾	37¾	37¾
Rep. Iron & Steel pf	97¾	97¾	97¾
Rock Island	29¾	29¾	29¾
Rock Island pf	57¾	57¾	57¾
St. Louis & San Fran	39¾	39¾	39¾
St. Louis & San Fran 2d pf	70¾	70¾	70¾
St. Louis Southwestern	29¾	29¾	29¾
St. Louis Southwestern pf	57¾	57¾	57¾
St. Louis & Sou. pf	70¾	70¾	70¾
Southern Pacific	119¾	119¾	119¾
Southern Railway	29¾	29¾	29¾
Southern Railway pf	74¾	74¾	74¾
Tennessee Copper	39¾	39¾	39¾
Texas & Pacific	29¾	29¾	29¾
Toledo, St. L. & W.	29¾	29¾	29¾
Toledo, St. L. & W. pf	57¾	57¾	57¾
Union Pacific	179¾	179¾	179¾
Union Pacific pf	87¾	87¾	87¾
United States Rubber	29¾	29¾	29¾
U. S. Rubber 1st pf	82¾	82¾	82¾
U. S. Steel	36¾	36¾	36¾
U. S. Steel pf	119¾	119¾	119¾
Utah Copper	39¾	39¾	39¾
Va.-Carolina Chemical	39¾	39¾	39¾
Va.-Carolina Chem. pf	119¾	119¾	119¾
Wabash	19¾	19¾	19¾
Wabash pf	39¾	39¾	39¾
Western Union	74¾	74¾	74¾
Wheeling & Lake Erie	19¾	19¾	19¾
Wheeling & Lake Erie 2d pf	39¾	39¾	39¾

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

Following were the high, low and closing stock prices on the Boston exchange yesterday:

	High.	Low.	Close
Allouez Min.	39	39	39
Amalgamated Mining	67	66¾	66¾
Am. Agricultural	68	68	68
Am. Pneu. Service	13	13	13
Am. Pneu. Service pf	14¾	14¾	14¾
Am. Sugar Refining	131¾	131¾	131¾
Am. Sugar Refining pf	112¾	112¾	112¾
Am. Tobacco	94¾	94¾	94¾
Am. Woolen	29	29	29
Am. Woolen pf	84¾	84¾	84¾
Arizona Commercial	18¾	18¾	18¾
Atlantic Mining	25¾	25¾	25¾
Bingham Mining	39¾	39¾	39¾
Boston & Corbin Mining	3¾	3¾	3¾
Boston & Maine	150	150	150
Boston Elevated	152¾	152¾	152¾
Boston Land	3¾	3¾	3¾
Butte Coalition Mining	23¾	22¾	22¾
Calumet & Arizona Mining	89¾	89¾	89¾
Calumet & Hecla Mining	650	650	642
Centennial	37¾	37¾	37¾
Central Mexican Mining	39	39	39
Copper Range Consolidated	74¾	74¾	74¾
Daly West Mining	19¾	19¾	19¾
Davis-Daly	19¾	19¾	19¾
Franklin Mining	19¾	19¾	19¾
Granby Consolidated	334	334	334
Greene Consolidated Mining	39¾	39¾	39¾
Great Northern pf	129	129	129
Greene Cananea Mining	74¾	74¾	74¾
La Salle Mining	14¾	13¾	13¾
Mass. Electric	87¾	87¾	87¾
Mass. Gas pf	87¾	87¾	87¾
Mexican	39¾	39¾	39¾
Mackaye Mining	6¾	6¾	6¾
Michigan Copper Mining	6¾	6¾	6¾
Mohawk Mining	69¾	69¾	69¾
Nevada Consolidated	19¾	19¾	19¾
North Butte Mining	30¾	30¾	30¾
Old Dominion Mining	84¾	84¾	84¾
Osceola Mining	74¾	74¾	74¾
Parrot Mining	19¾	19¾	19¾
Pond Creek Coal	39¾	39¾	39¾
Quincy Mining	74¾	74¾	74¾
Shannon Copper	12¾	12¾	12¾
Superior & Boston Mining	3¾	3¾	3¾
Superior & Mining	69	69	69
Tamarack Mining	74¾	74¾	74¾
Trinity	14¾	14¾	14¾
Union Pacific	139¾	137¾	138
Union Pacific pf	87¾	87¾	87¾
United Shoe Mach.	55¾	54¾	55¾
United Shoe Mach. pf	29¾	29¾	29¾
U. S. Coal & Oil	69¾	69¾	69¾
U. S. Smelting & Min.	39¾	39¾	39¾
U. S. Steel pf	94¾	94¾	94¾
U. S. Rubber pf	109¾	109¾	109¾
Utah Copper	39¾	39¾	39¾
Utah Mining	29¾	29¾	29¾

*Ex dividend.

NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The weekly statement of aggregates of the associated banks issued today, follows:

Loans	$1,000,454,200	Dec. $6,600
Deposits	1,207,076,000	Inc. 2,000,000
Circulation	50,230,000	Inc. 1,110,000
Legal tenders	78,747,000	Inc. 1,110,000
Specie	208,045,000	Inc. 3,000,000
Reserve held	286,792,000	Inc. 4,110,000
Reserve req.	301,769,000	Inc. 1,521,650
Surplus	12,704,850	Inc. 2,588,350
Sp. U. S. dep.	2,000,000	Inc. 2,000,000

The percentage of reserves held by the banks this week is 29.93, against 29.71 last week and 29.00 two weeks ago.

Surplus of the banks is $62,352,000, against $59,824,150 last year and $6,698,525 two years ago.

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

13000	Bay State Gas	4¾
200	Boston Ely	2 13-16
230	Butte & Boston	96
100	Butte & Coalition	23
11	Black Mesa	17
100	Bingham Mines	3¾
11	Cumberland	12
25000	Consol. S. & Bonds	10
1000	Cumberland Copper	3¾
1250	Davis Daly	3¾
100	Emerald	4¾
10	East Butte	4¾
100	Ely Con. Cop.	4¾
1000	Goldfield Cons.	8 7-16
1000	Gold Bar	1 3-16
2000	Gold Coin	1¾
100	Guggen. Boston	86¾
100	Greene M.	39¾
1000	Hancock	39¾
1000	Mason Valley	5¾
1000	Howe's & Little	39¾
100	Majestic	4¾
200	Mex. Consol.	67¾
1000	Nipissing Mines	8¾
200	Mines	4¾
100	Nevada Con.	19¾
500	National Explor.	4¾
1000	Nevada Hills	4¾
500	Nipissing	8¾
500	Nevada Utah	4¾
100	Ophir	90
400	Pioneer	39¾
7000	Rawhide	39¾
1000	Rhode Island	39¾
470	Raven	1 7-16
1000	Stewart	39¾
4250	Silver Leaf	12 9-16
1000	Standard & Boston	1 1-16
100	Superior & Pittsburg	22¾
2000	Santa Maria	39¾
500	Troy Mountain	6¾
100	Tonopah Belmont	39¾
50	Utah Apex	18 13-16
1000	Yukon Mines	1 5-16
819	Yukon	4¾

JAPANESE PRINCE YAMASHINA DEAD

TOKIO, May 2.—The death of Imperial Prince Kitinnaru Yamashina was officially announced to-morrow. His Highness, who was thirty-five years of age, was a captain in the navy.

6 YEARS FOR FAKE OFFICER

Lima, Ohio, May 2.—Earl Mosser, who, impersonating a Deputy United States Marshal from Cincinnati, robbed the citizens of Lima of many military uniforms at Galion on May 5, was sentenced by Judge Young in the penitentiary by Friday night.

NEW HIGH RECORDS BY LEADING STOCKS

By Thomas C. Shotwell.

NEW YORK, May 2.—New high records were made in Wall street to-day by the leading stocks in a strong and fairly active market. Union Pacific, St. Louis and St. Paul and Southern Pacific and Iron Steel shares were kept at the Steel Steelers also forged upward. The covering is due entirely to the desperate situation of brokers who have sold their customers' stocks. It was believed on Friday that all trouble of this kind was over but yesterday four more firms suddenly began frantic buying, and the end is apparently not yet.

Just before the close a profit-taking movement set in that wiped out a large part of the day's gains. Lumber was about a cent a bushel higher, and cotton was not materially changed at the close although at one time it was materially lower.

'LEGALIZE MERGER,' MELLEN'S CRY NOW

New Haven Officials Demand Right to Absorb Boston & Maine Railroad.

The merger bill favored and desired by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad is in the hands of the Legislative Committee on Railroads.

The New Haven has stopped talking about a "property safeguarding" merger. The bill favored by the Morgan-Lee-Vanderlip interests goes straight to the meat of the argument in its first word and first section.

This is the first section of the bill that Charles F. Choate, Jr., Josiah H. Benton, Jr., and other Mellen lawyers will ask the Legislative Committee to report to the Massachusetts Legislature with the recommendation that it "ought to pass":

Section 1. The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company may take and hold and dispose of the stock in the Boston & Maine Railroad now held or it or some of its lessees may acquire, and exercise all the rights and powers of a stockholder thereof.

Copies of the New Haven bill, drafted by Mr. Choate and presented to the Massachusetts Legislature with the recommendation that it "ought to pass":

Section 1. The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company may subscribe for, acquire, take and hold stock in the Boston & Maine Railroad now held or it or some of its lessees may acquire, and exercise all the rights and powers of a stockholder thereof.

Section 2. The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company may subscribe for, acquire, take and hold shares of the capital stock of, bonds of, indebtedness of, the Boston & Maine Railroad and of any railroad company whose railroad is leased or operated by the said Boston & Maine Railroad, and may have and exercise all the rights and powers of a stockholder in any such shares of stock.

Section 3. Any member of the directors of the Boston & Maine Railroad elected since the 1st day of January, 1903, in the State in which said corporation is incorporated.

Sop to Massachusetts.

Section 4. Not less than four directors of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company shall be bona fide residents of Massachusetts.

Section 5. The Boston & Maine Railroad and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company shall each have its principal office in the City of Boston.

Section 6. The passenger fares and freight rates, facilities and accommodations, upon the lines of railroad in this Commonwealth shall be subject to revision by the Railroad Commissioners.

Section 7. All shares of stock hereafter issued by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, the proceeds of which are to be used for the acquisition of new property within this Commonwealth, or for making or extending any of its lines or sections of railroad within this Commonwealth, shall be issued under and according to the laws of this Commonwealth.

Section 8. The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company shall not have its principal headquarters in the City of Boston.

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DREAD GERMS IN SWIMMING POOL

Residents in the vicinity of the Orchard Park swimming pool in Roxbury, are wondering over the danger of typhoid fever and malaria affecting their children from bathing. Intend to have their petition presented to the city government appeal to the Board of Health to condemn the plate and not allow it to be opened in June.

It is claimed that the swimming pool is dangerous to the community, for the all reason that the water which fills the pool is from a hydrant, and there being no water outlet, cholera and other germs flourish in the water.

Former Representative Jeremiah J. Good of Ward 12, is strongly opposed to the swimming pool. To a reporter for the Sunday American he said: "To open the Park swimming pool is a menace to the children of the district. There is no running water, and as a consequence all kinds of disease germs will flourish. I am in favor of shower baths being installed there."

Charles J. Kidney, a prominent resident of the district, owns considerable real estate in the locality, feels that the city should remove the swimming pool and install a system of shower baths.

TYLER LUMBER CO. IN BANKRUPT COURT

New York, May 2.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in the United States District Court here today against the Tyler Lumber Company of Maine, with offices in Broadway, and which is capitalized at $400,000. Claims aggregating $6,020 are named as bases of the application.

Beautiful Wife Wins Stage Glory; Appeals For Divorce

MRS. ELIZABETH D. ROBINSON

Mrs. Robinson, who has adopted the stage name of Dorothy Davies, is now leading woman in a company playing "Stronghearts."

Manchester, N. H., May 2.—An infatuation for the stage is believed to be the underlying cause of the separation of Dorothy Davies, a beautiful actress, and Assistant Postmaster Robinson, assistant postmaster of this city, which has culminated in her suit for divorce.

Although Mr. Robinson is devotedly attached to his talented wife, it is understood that her suit will not be contested by him. The friends believe that he will philosophically give her the freedom which she seeks. But they say it is a sad ending to a romance which began more than sixteen years ago. Then they loved each other fondly and all who knew them predicted a happy married life for "the belle of Manchester," as she was called, and the big six-footer.

But the wife had a fondness for the stage which grew and grew. Finally she went to Boston to study elocution in one of the best known institutions in the country. It was the one course to visit her family, and sometimes Mr. Robinson went to Boston to see her.

How Leading Woman.

She [illegible] returned to a domestic life, however. [illegible] finally gained her footlight experience and made a success. She is now leading woman of the "Stronghearts" company, and this week is playing in Lowell (?).

The grounds upon which she has sued for a divorce are a mystery. Her friends will not reveal the secret, and Mr. Robinson keeps a mouth firmly closed when the subject is broached to him. Court officials decline to show the papers that relate why the beautiful, talented woman seeks to be released from the vow she made "to love, honor and obey" before the altar of the Franklin Square Catholic church, here, on September 28, 1892. Miss Davies and Mr. Robinson were married. He was twenty-nine. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Davis, but when she became an actress she took a stage name.

The fact that she had used her divorce did not become known until the case was filed in the court docket. There is no information called.

When City Solicitor George A. Wagner, her attorney, was questioned he said:

"I don't ask you anything about it for I shall not tell you one word."

Has Appeared in Boston.

Mrs. Dorothy Davies, as she is professionally known, has played in several Boston theatres. She is talented and very ambitious. She is determined to make a dramatic success. She was born in Canada and is the daughter of George Davis.

While Mr. Robinson faces the situation bravely this [illegible] being that he is deeply grieved.

The Boston American sent a telegram to Dorothy Davies in Kansas asking her why she had brought suit for divorce. But no answer was received, nothing about grounds upon which her legal action is based. She telegraphed in reply:

Kansas City, April 30, 1908.

Boston American, Boston, Mass.:

Telegram received. An much surprised to publishment of such. Do not care to make any statement.

DOROTHY DAVIES,
Stronghheart Company

While in Boston she was a student at the Emerson School of Oratory

BAY STATE ELKS WILL REVEL AT ORDER'S TEXAS REUNION

Barbecue, Parade, Trip to Mexico and Numerous Lesser Fetes Being Arranged.

The annual reunion of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks to be held in Dallas, Tex., from July 12 to 18 inclusive, will be attended by a large delegation from the Bay State.

While the delegates will have the usual work to do in the convention extensive plans have been made for the entertainment of the visitors.

The programme includes, among other things, the entertainment and inspection for members of the grand lodge and their ladies from 12 to 3 on Monday, July 13, at State Fair Grounds. Tuesday is the big great barbecue ever held in the world will take place, to which will be added the attractiveness of a Mexican luncheon, vaudeville and athletic exhibition. Wednesday will be set apart for the dinner in honor of the Governor, the massed band parade, the drill corps and marching club contest. On Thursday will be held the big parade, beginning at 9 o'clock in the morning. Everything is being done by Dallas and Texas to make the reunion one of the greatest. The order has ever held. Ride trips to the Gulf and the Republic of Mexico are arranged.

Plan Big Parade.

Many prizes are to be awarded during the grand lodge session, a partial list of which is as follows.

To the lodge having the largest number in line on day of parade, such lodge to be more than seventy-five miles from Dallas, and the membership thereof to be registered at headquarters: First prize $300, second prize $150, third prize $100.

The first lodge having the largest number of men in line on the day of parade, such lodge located within seventy-five miles of Dallas: First prize $200, second prize $100, third prize $30.

The lodge having the largest aggregate mileage, the mileage to be computed from the respective committee from the number of members registered, the most distant lodge to receive the competing city being the basis of computation, and the first prize $250, second prize $150, third prize $100.

The lodge accompanied by the largest number of ladies, the ladies to be registered at the reunion, lodges within a radius of seventy-five miles to be barred from the contest: First prize $250, second prize $100, third prize $50.

Prize for Smallest Elk.

For the best drill or marching club or corps, to parade in full regalia, the test of parade, uniqueness, originality and general appearance to be considered: first prize $500, second prize $150, third prize $100.

A special prize of $100 will be given to every lodge accompanied by a band of twenty-five or more pieces, provided the band participates in the massed band parade and in the grand parade Thursday.

Special prizes will be awarded as follows: Fattest Elk $25, leanest Elk $25, tallest Elk $25, smallest Elk $25.

STEEL MEN ALARMED, TALK OF LOWER RATES

Drop in Trade Brings Trust Heads to Terms; Crop Prospects Encouraging for Big Yield.

By Thomas C. Shotwell.

New York, May 2.—Alarmed at the reopened collapse of business that has come as a direct result of agitation for an increase of freight rates, the steel men have reconsidered and will, data was once more the wisdom of making steel products a basis of money, with rails the standard at a ratio of twenty-eight to one. In the first two weeks of April the number of life cars increased 70,000 because business men who had ordered goods at a time of uncertainty decided to wait until the railroads quit trying to override the law of supply and demand.

Business men seem to believe that there is no justification for an increase of freight rates now, dividends have been [illegible] and wages liquidated.

It is easy to say that at the conference of steel men, which is called to meet in New York in the near future, the light of the situation will be recognized and a sharp cut will be made in prices of all steel products, thereby demoralizing steel and taking a long step toward a recovery of business.

Government Running Behind.

Another development of the week is the discovery that the government is running behind heavily in receipts, the deficit for April amounting to $10,000,000. This is at the rate of $120,000,000 a year and while it probably will not amount to that much for the whole year it will be very large.

Financing of the Government is always a good exports and the [illegible] Secretary Cortelyou on the banks for $45,000,000 is also helpful as all further check should be encountered in about two weeks, by which time [illegible] to get on hopes to get it on [illegible] back from the [illegible] through the [illegible] demption.

Good Prospects for Crops.

Crops started off with the best prospects of many years, not only in weather but in the amount of labor available for the farmers. Hundreds of [illegible] years have been paid and a [illegible] of the [illegible] are going to work great as with proper handling. This year there is a surplus of men looking for employment, and it is presumed that they will be ready to work on the farms.

[illegible] weather, all records should be [illegible] in every department of agriculture, and the [illegible] has been great years, and it has done material damage but the season is still young enough to make up all the loss.

[illegible] and now low record [illegible] the last week [illegible] has been very erratic the past week. The reasons, however, were directed in the collapse of two [illegible] and the suicide of a broker who covered short contracts in Steel and Union Pacific with a pistol. It developed that several [illegible] large and apparently reputable firms have sold their customers' stocks and have been compelled to buy them back with severe losses.

The net result of these actions is that much of the book of every small [illegible] over before exposure can [illegible] Realizing this, [illegible] has been forced the executive [illegible] of the [illegible] declined the technical condition has been very much weakened by elimination of shorts and big building up of a weak long account.

"QUEER" HALVES ARE EASILY BROKEN

Dorchester Flooded With Bad Coins That Fall on the Ringing Test.

It is easier to have a half dollar broken in Dorchester than it is in any other section of the city at the present time.

If you ask a Dorchester merchant to break a half dollar for you he is liable to ask you which way you mean. For when dividing up the money into coins of smaller denominations there are many coins of the half dollar variety which can be literally broken up into many small pieces.

The district is flooded with counterfeit half dollars. They are pretty good in many respects and can readily be passed. The principal defect is in the ringing and in the engraving of the stars. But the [illegible] coins can be readily detected if dropped on a hard sidewalk or [illegible] pavement and examined. They will break into a number of pieces instead of ringing clear and true like the genuine article.

Many Dorchester residents have been [illegible] with these coins. Arthur W. Arthur H. O. Kane of No. 40 Blakeville street reported to the police that a [illegible] liner he offered it for a purchase at the Bowdoin Square car barns. He handed the coin on the marble floor of the store. Immediately it broke into a number of small pieces to the surprise of both the [illegible] and purchaser.

Walter H. Lane of Richfield street had a similar experience. He offered a half dollar in a street car, was surprised to be told that it was counterfeit. Thinking it on the sidewalk later to find out whether or not it rang true, the coin refused to be broken into a number of small pieces.

George L. Sanford of No. 20 Richfield street has received some of the coins from [illegible] and many other merchants of Meredith & Sanford's [illegible] Dorchester. The secret service agents have been apprised of the existence of the spurious money and a force of inspectors will be put to work whenever to trace the source of the queer coin.

BLUE TICKET TO BAR CONVENTION RIOTS

Credentials Issued for Democratic Convention Have Coupon Attachment.

To prevent any more "pink ticket" conventions credentials were issued yesterday for the Democratic State Convention to be held in Mechanics' Hall, so arranged that no trouble may result from the vouchers entitling the delegates to admission. The credentials this time are blue in color and have a coupon attachment.

It will not be necessary for a waiting line of delegates Thursday next to exchange their credentials for a pink ticket of admission to the convention hall at the door of Faneuil Hall, Thursday, the delegate will be allowed to retain the blue ticket. To be legally entitled to a seat in the hall he must present with the [illegible] Democratic Committee of Arrangements, the coupon which is [illegible] to each delegate at large to the convention, will be the main feature of the platform which the committee on resolutions will present to Thursday's gathering.

FORD ACQUITTED OF BRIBERY IN FRISCO

San Francisco, Cal., May 2.—Tirey L. Ford, chief counsel for the United Railways, to-day was acquitted of the charge of bribery in connection with the passage of overhead trolley franchises. The jury was out only [illegible] minutes. This is the third time the case has been tried.

CONDEMNED SLAYER SHOT IN JAIL BREAK.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 2.—Jesse Briggs, a prisoner in the State Penitentiary at Moundsville, condemned to be hanged for murder, was shot and killed by Captain James W. Dawson, acting warden. Briggs had escaped from his cell and threw stones at the guards that tried to capture him.

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POLICE HUNTING KING AS FUGITIVE

"Arrest and Hold Him," Reads Circular Issued by Supt. W. H. Pierce.

The thousands of New England investors who intrusted their money to Carlotta F. King, the missing financial agent, were keenly interested in a proclamation scattered broadcast over the police headquarters have been sent all over the civilized world.

Though a warrant for King was issued some weeks ago, charging him with larceny of $25,318 in taxicab companies, this is the first attempt the police department has established that of a fugitive from justice.

The circular describes King as he will, says he is wanted for larceny, that he required bonds of $25,000 which he failed to [illegible], and that if he is seen anywhere he is to be arrested and the Boston police notified.

The office pamphlet also [illegible] business suits maintained by King at a number of [illegible] Monday, many articles going at bargain prices.

VICTORY FOR FOES OF CHILD LABOR

Providence, R. I., May 2.—The crusade in this State against the employment of child labor resounded another victory during the past week through the passage of labor in this State, providing that no child labor in this State, providing that no child under fourteen years of age shall be allowed to work in a

BASEBALL BOTH HUB TEAMS LOSE RACING DEAD HEAT A JAMAICA BOXING STAR BOUT AT ARMORY A. A. BOWLING

DODGERS PUT A CRIMP IN DOVES' WINNING STREAK

Featureless Game Goes to Visitors 2 to 1, Both Pitchers Doing Good Work.

BY A. H. C. MITCHELL.

There were no big hit batters on yesterday's game at the South End Grounds and Brooklyn walked away with it 2 to 1. It was really a light hitting contest although the two teams knocked out 10 safeties between them.

If there [illegible] pitcher that [illegible] Dodgers [illegible] Doves [illegible] Rucker [illegible] Dodgers [illegible] Doves [illegible] was [illegible] against the right field fence where it struck, instead of bounding off as Browne expected it would do.

Old Hoss Kelley set Little Cy Young back at the Dodgers in spite of the fact that he was knocked out of the box in the first inning on Friday. Little Cy did well, but the visitors earned a run off him in the first inning and his wildness cost the wining tally in the sixth. On the other hand the Southpaw drew in the [illegible]

Although the old Boston pitcher looked easy, but the locals could do little with him. Of the six hits made off his delivery only two were batted [illegible] Kelley's men had [illegible] the papers were thrown out at the plate.

Dodgers Get Excited.

The Brooklyns got excited in the last half of the ninth, as they were afraid the locals would make one of those [illegible] son finishes, but their fears were groundless, as the home batsmen went out in two [illegible] order.

Patten struck out in the first inning, but Sheehan came along with a safe [illegible] to center and stole second cleanly. Beckley, the slugger, struck out, and [illegible] Jordan hit a hot one which glanced off Beckley's chest and rolled to the fence, while Sheehan scored.

Boston had a chance to tie in the last half of the ninth. Bradley batting. Hummel crashed a single to centre, but was forced by Hofer. Johnny also scored and moved to third on [illegible] drew a pass and attempted to steal, but the ball was thrown back to Jordan and Johnny was nipped in his [illegible]

It was another [illegible] for the second.

Wilhelm led off with a scratch hit in the third and Patten sacrificed him to second, but he was caught napping at third [illegible] Young struck out. Bergen [illegible] third strike and he also died at [illegible] following Little Cy to retire Brooklyn in order.

In the fourth Hummel singled, with a clean [illegible] over second. He went to second on pop flies. Bates fed off with a [illegible] in Rooker's direction, but [illegible] double play, while Kleezey died to Mc[illegible] Jones.

Young's Single Scores a Run.

With one down in the fifth, Wilhelm singled and took second on Patten's out at first. Sheehan walked but Lumley was easy for Rucker. [illegible] Young's [illegible] only run [illegible] Bergen [illegible] base on balls, [illegible] Jordan [illegible] Hummel [illegible] Bates [illegible] Rucker [illegible] Dodgers [illegible] Doves [illegible] batting order.

The Doves had another cool chance in the last [illegible] Bergen [illegible] a single and [illegible] Keller [illegible] Beaumont [illegible] Bergen [illegible] right [illegible] In the second, [illegible] Patten singled [illegible] Young struck [illegible] Bergen [illegible] go to centre and [illegible] ning rally.

CHICAGO	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	[illegible]					

ST. LOUIS	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	[illegible]					

Batted for Wallace in 9th. Ran out when winning run was made.

[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

AMATEURS MANY CLUBS WANT GAMES YACHTING LOCAL CLUBS GETTING READY SHOOTING B. A. A. HOLDS A CONTEST ROWING

LONG LIST OF AMATEUR CLUBS AFTER GAMES

Never Before Were So Many Baseball Teams in the Field Hereabouts.

Managers of amateur baseball clubs should have no trouble filling out their schedules if they read the challenges printed below. They should fit teams of all ages, uniformed or otherwise. Teams desiring a report of their games in Sunday's American should bring them to this office as soon after they are played Saturdays as possible.

The Western A. A. of Malden would like to hear from 16-years-and-over teams, paying half fares. Robert McClure, No. 135 Malden street, Malden.

The Lincoln A. A. of Jamaica Plain would like to arrange games with fifteen or sixteen year old teams, paying half fares. William Berry, No. 11 Paul Gore street, Jamaica Plain.

The Rovistons of Jamaica Plain would like to arrange games with any fourteen or fifteen year old team, paying half fares. James Boyle, No. 8 Haverford street, Jamaica Plain.

The Centrals of Dorchester want games with twelve or thirteen year old teams, paying half fares. Open dates after May 10. P. Welton, No. 88 Chisholm street, Dorchester.

The Band L, 600 of the Lynn Interurby League have a few open dates which they would like to fill, with games from home, with the strongest teams in the State, paying a fair guarantee. Thomas G. Conlon, No. 158 Lewis street, Lynn.

The Quincys of Dorchester have an open game on May 9. Will meet any fourteen or fifteen year old team in the State on home grounds. John A. Dodd, No. 172 Summer street, city.

The Vaughn A. C. of Dorchester would like to arrange games with any of the fourteen or fifteen year old teams. Joseph McNeill, No. 28 Vaughn avenue, Dorchester.

The Hickey Club of Milton would like a home game for May 9 with some strong eighteen-year-old team. C. F. Hickey, 1 Hickey street, Dorchester. Phone 943-3.

The Hyde Park Juniors desire games with the best eighteen or twenty year old teams in the State. Would like to hear from the Wollastons of Dorchester and the Shamrocks of Waltham. J. J. Conniff, 24 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park.

The St. Mary's Y. M. C. A. baseball team of Lynn desires games with strong semi-professional teams around Boston. John Hayes, No. 25 Bloomer street, Lynn.

The Crescents of Weymouth would like to exchange with any 16-17-year old team in the State. Russell Caulfield, Broad street, Weymouth.

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The Putnams of Roxbury have open dates on May 30 (a. m.) and June 17 (p. m.), which they would like to fill with first 18-year-old teams. John Mooney, box 3,222, Boston.

The Deans of City Point would like to arrange games with 16-year-old teams for June and July. Home games preferred. H. Rex, 908 Broadway, South Boston.

The Walcott A. C. of Braintree want games with the best 16-17-year-old teams in the State during half exercises. John J. O'Donnell, 6 Clifford street, Braintree.

The Wights of Dorchester challenge any of the 14-15-year-old teams. The Nonantum Boys' Club and the Carneys preferred. Open games on Saturday May. John F. Mulhall, 62 Adonia street, Dorchester.

The Franklins of Lynn would like games away from home with 15-year-old teams. J. Hess, box 20, Brookvale street, Lynn.

The Rockdales of Hyde Park desire games with 15-16 year-old teams. M. T. Smythe, 25 Austin street, Hyde Park.

The Ballardale Juvs, challenge any 14-15-year-old team in the State. Home games preferred. George F. Yow, Ballardale, Mass.

The Theatre Club of Dorchester would like to arrange games with fifteen or sixteen-year-old teams. Address Theatre Club, 1,750 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester.

The Manufacturers would like to hear from the Armory A., A. St. Alphonsus, Rockport, Plymouth Cordage, Scituate, Whitman Lead & Soap, Dorchester, Neponset, Lynn, Salem, Beverly and all other teams in New England paying a fair guarantee. Manager, C. W. Crumb, 2,389 Washington street, Boston.

The Tudor A. A. want games with 18-19-year-old teams for next Sunday, May 3, at Foley, 2,345 Sixth street, South Boston.

The Dorchester Jrs., would like to arrange games with four 14-15-year-old teams in the State. Open dates June 17, 20, 27, 1903. The Wollastons, Mt. Bowdoins, Harringtons and the Cocoanuts preferred. Fred C. Harris, 55 Humphreys street, Dorchester, Mass.

The Newman A. A. of Newton would like to arrange games with 15-16-year-old teams. Home games preferred. J. J. Considine, 285 Adams street, Newton.

The strong Lakewood team of Somerville would like to arrange games with any of the 15-16 year-old teams in the fate. Would like to hear from the Rose Welcomes. Charles Flumm, 55 Willow avenue, West Somerville.

The Howard A. C. challenges any 12-15-year-old uniformed teams in or around Boston. Half expenses. Charles H. Check, No. 53 Howard street, Cambridge.

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MARATHON HATCH WINS AT ST. LOUIS TROTTING SPIRITED RACES ON SPEEDWAY ATHLETICS WORCESTER BOYS WIN GAMES FOOTBALL

WORCESTER BOYS WIN MEET IN STADIUM BY ONE POINT.

Two Records Broken and Honors Are Not Decided Until the Last Event.

TABLE OF POINTS.

First counts 5, second 3, third 1.

EVENTS.	Andover.	Worcester Academy.	Exeter.	Volkmann.	Providence Tech.	St. Mark's.	Tech.	Brown and Nichols.	Portland High.	Roxbury High.
100-yard dash	5	3	1							
220-yard dash		5	3	1						
440-yard run					5	3	1			
880-yard run										
Mile run										
120-yard hurdle										
220-yard hurdle										
High jump									2	1
Broad jump										
Pole vault									2	1
Shot put										
Hammer throw										
Relay race										
Totals									2	1

Three Winners in the Interscholastic Championships at the Stadium

J. Ballard, Providence Tech. H. B., winning the mile run.

R. H. Gardner, Andover, making a new pole vault record.

C. E. Nelson, Volkmann, winning the 100-yard dash.

BY DYKE CLARK.

Worcester Academy won the annual outdoor interscholastic track championship in the Stadium yesterday, defeating Andover by one point in one of the most exciting competitions for the big trophy in years.

It was not until the last event, which was the hammer throw, that the Worcester boys could claim victory, as Andover was tied with them with 27 points each.

Worcester had one entry in the hammer throw and he was good enough to get the one point needed to decide the meet.

Three schools Exeter, Volkmanns and Providence Tech had a hot struggle for third position, with only one point separating each, and they finally finished in that order.

Two records were broken and one equalled in the athletic strife. E. E. Nelson won the 100 yard dash in 9 4-5 seconds, but as he had the wind at his back and it was a stiff breeze the new mark will probably not be allowed. The pole vault record was broken by R. H. Gardener.

He won the event and then in an exhibition vaulted 11 feet ¾ of an inch. Nelson equalled the record of 21 3-5 seconds for the furlong dash, held by Bill Schick, Harvard's once great sprinter.

Worcester a Dark Horse.

The win of Worcester was somewhat of a surprise. Andover and Exeter were supposed to make the big fight, but the New Hampshire boys failed to get in the running to any great extent.

Providence Tech made a very fine showing for a small school, totaling thirteen points through the aid of a small entry list.

The sensational finish of the day came in the half mile run, when the three winners went over the line in a row. Warner of Worcester Academy started out in the lead and got a comfortable margin when the stretch loomed up. It was then that Captain Glaze of Andover brought the Exeter crack, came out and challenged him. It was a hair raising brush going to the line, with Warner on the pole, who was just able to win by two inches as the other pair dashed by the judges about on equal terms. Warner got the decision by fractions of an inch.

The two stars who made the most number of points individually were Nelson of Volkmann's and Bartlett of Worcester Academy. Both got 10 points, the former two-thirds of his school's total.

But Bartlett did the greatest service to his school when he won the necessary points in the last event, thereby defeating Andover, who a year ago ran away with the meet.

There were close finishes in the field events, several ties resulting, which were decided by tossing or competing over

Tie in Pole Vault.

There was a tie in the pole vault between Holmes of Exeter and Plumsaf of Andover. They jumped off as such trials were not ratified to chance it to a coin, and Cliff Holmes won out.

The high jump provided some more close fighting. Captain Potts of Andover, Bartlett of Worcester were tied for first, and Forsell, Worcester and Bur, but the points were divided as in the other cases.

The broad jump saw Chandler, Exeter and Hana of Brookline tie for second place, Chandler getting the nod when tossed, the Portland boy getting the medal.

Exeter was prevented getting points in the 220 yard hurdle, Andover doubling up **on the last hurdle, and Eastbrook of Volkmann's was third in a walk away over the course, came strong and won. The summaries:**

The Results.

120-yard high hurdles: final heat—Won by C. A. Chadwick, Worcester Academy; second, Thomas Cunningham, Exeter; third, D. Crandall, Jr., Exeter. Time—15 3-5.

100-yard dash: first heat—First heat, won by C. W. Brown, Tech; second, Bartlett, Worcester Academy; third, Bur, Worcester Academy. Time—10 1-5s. Second heat, won by E. Nelson, Volkmann's; second, Potts, Andover; third, Kolarcek, Volkmann's; third, C. E. Morrison, Andover. Time—10 2-5s.

Third heat, won by R. G. Harwood, Andover; second, W. Warner, Worcester Academy; third, W. E. Murphy, Portland High. Time—10 1-5s. Fourth heat, won by Hall, Tech; second, Wright, Tech; third, H. Baker, Exeter. Time—10 2-5s. Fifth heat, won by Hana, Brookline; second, Baxter, Exeter; third, H. Miles, Worcester Academy. Time—10 2-5s.

Final heat, won by E. Nelson, Volkmann's; second, Harwood, Andover; third, Bartlett, Worcester Academy; fourth, Hana, Brookline; fifth, C. E. Morrison, Andover. Time—10 1-5s.

Mile run—Won by Joe Ballard, Providence Technical; second, Wright, Tech; third, Lawless, H. P. Lawless, Rosen and Nichols. Time—4 minutes, 50 1-5 seconds.

Putting 16-pound shot—Won by E. Bartlett, Worcester Academy, 39 feet 10 inches; second, W. P. Hood, Worcester Academy, 39 feet 7½ inches; third, Potts, Andover, 39 feet 2 inches.

220-yard dash—Won by E. E. Nelson, Volkmann's; second, C. W. Brown, Tech; third, F. H. Connell, Exeter. Time—21 4-5s.

220-yard hurdle—Won by Chadwick, Worcester Academy; second, H. Brown, Andover; third, Lawless, Providence Tech. Time—27 1-5s.

Broad jump—Won by H. Warner, Worcester Academy, 20 feet 9 inches; second, Chandler, Exeter; third, Hana, Brookline.

440-yard dash—Won by Bartlett, Worcester Academy; second, A. Greene, Providence Technical; third, C. Hamerton, Exeter. Time—52 1-5s.

Pole vault—Won by R. H. Gardner, Andover, 10 ft.; second, tie between F. Holmes, Exeter, and J. Plumsaf, Andover, 10 ft.; third, Harwood, Andover. Holmes won on elimination basis.

Running broad jump—Won by H. Bartlett, Worcester Academy, 21ft. 5in.; second, H. Rosendale, Andover, 21ft. 3in.; third, tie between H. McCarthy, Worcester Academy, and E. Wheeler, Roxbury Latin, 20ft. 7½in. Third place won by Bartlett, 20ft. 7¾in., there being between G. H. Hunt, Broad Brook, Conn., and Bartlett, Worcester Academy, Portland High, Bright, St. on Chadwicks medal, 20ft. 7in. lost.

Throwing hammer—Won by Broad, St. Mark's, 142ft. 6½in.; second, T. G. Anderson, Exeter, 142ft. 4in.; third, A. E. Bartlett, Worcester Academy, 137ft. 8in.

ENGLISH HIGH WINS.

At the Waltham Bicycle Park yesterday, the English High team defeated Waltham High by 7 to 4, in a well-played game. English High won through their heavy batting and by taking more chances on the bases. Score by innings:

										R	H	E
English High	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	1	*	—7	11	3
Waltham H.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	—	4	7	4

Batteries—Everett and Brophy; Berry and Lacey.

VERMONT WINS ON DARTMOUTH ERRORS

Captain Glaze's Boys Do All Right Until the Sixth Inning, Then They Go Up.

Hanover, N. H., May 2.—With a crowd of rooters three hundred strong and accompanied by the University band, the Vermont baseball team defeated Dartmouth by the score of three to nothing. Collins and Glaze the former having a little fast heat of it still if it had not been for an error on the part of Brady of Dartmouth the nine innings would have resulted in a tie.

The game went to no score until the sixth when with two men down Collinson singled and stole second. He was advanced to third on Glaze's wild pitch, Glaze then walked Gardner, Burrington hit to Hobart who made a pretty stop and threw for Brady who dropped the ball, scoring Collison. A single by Collins tallied Gardner and Burrington. Tole ended the scoring for the day. The score:

VERMONT.	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Collinson, lb.	3	1	2	9	1	0
Gardner, ss.	3	1	1	2	2	0
Burrington, c.	3	0	0	6	1	0
Collins, p.	3	0	2	0	2	0
Farnsworth, 2b.	3	0	0	2	2	0
Tenney, rf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Tole, cf.	3	0	0	4	0	0
Hobart, 3b.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Smith, 1f.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	27	3	6	24	10	0

DARTMOUTH.	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Richmond, c.	3	0	0	7	1	0
Cooney, ss.	3	0	0	2	2	0
Glaze, p.	3	0	0	0	3	0
Glazier, 1b.	3	0	0	12	0	0
Brady, 2b.	3	0	0	2	2	1
Cloonan, 3b.	3	0	0	1	2	0
Hall, rf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bigelow, cf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Cloonan, lf.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Totals	27	0	2	27	10	1

Vermont	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	—3
Dartmouth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hits—Collins, Burrington. Left on bases—Vermont, 5; Dartmouth, 6. Base on balls—Off Glaze, 2; Collins, 2. Struck out—By Glaze, 12; by Collins, 9; by Mitchell, 2. Sacrifice hits—Tenney, Hobart. Stolen bases—Collinson, Gardner. Passed ball—Richmond. Wild pitch—Glaze. Passed ball, Charbonneau. Umpire—Kilkenny. Time—1h. 30m. Attendance, 2,000.

DORCHESTER HIGH WON CLOSE GAME

Wakefield, May 2.—Dorchester High took a hard fought game from the Wakefield High team to-day by a score of 2 to 1. The winning run was in the sixth inning when Buxton, the Wakefield catcher, let a foul out-shoot slip by him, allowing Connolly to score from third with the winning run.

The game was a pitchers' battle with Harrington having a shade the better of the argument. Foot fielding by both teams kept the score down. Score by innings:

DORCHESTER H.	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Daly, lf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Connolly, 3b.	4	1	1	2	3	0
Fraser, ss.	4	0	0	2	2	0
Hall, 1b.	4	0	0	9	0	0
Sullivan, c.	3	0	2	4	0	0
Harrington, p.	3	0	0	1	3	0
Hall, 2b.	3	0	0	2	2	0
Dolan, cf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Dolan, rf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	4	24	10	0

WAKEFIELD H.	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Mercer, ss.	4	0	1	0	2	1
Buxton, c.	4	0	0	7	2	1
Richards, lb.	4	0	2	11	0	0
Hall, 2b.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Fitzgerald, cf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hall, rf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hyland, 3b.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Dolan, p.	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	32	0	3	24	10	2

Dorchester H.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	—2
Wakefield H.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hits—Sullivan, Connolly. Sacrifice hits—Daly, Connolly. Stolen bases—Daly, Connolly, Fraser, Sullivan. Double plays—Hall to Hall. Bases on balls—Off Harrington, 1; off Dolan, 1. Struck out—By Dolan, 5; by Harrington, 1. Passed balls—Buxton, 1; Sullivan, 1. Umpire—Hurley.

ARMORY BOYS HARD.

In a batting fest at the American League Grounds yesterday afternoon the Armory A. A. defeated the St. Alphonsus A. A. by the score of 17 to 14.

At the end of the sixth inning the game stood 13 to 7 in favor of the Armory A. A., so three of the Armory players changed places with substitutes. This change came near being disastrous to the Armory aggregation as the St. Alphonsus scored seven runs in the ninth inning on a combination of hits and errors.

Shea, Scanlon and Twitchell played the best game for the Armory A. A., while Connery and Burns showed up well for St. Alphonsus. Score:

Armory A. A.	1	1	0	7	3	0	4	7	—17	19	6
St. Alph.	0	0	0	1	1	3	7	2	—14	16	6

Batteries—Armory A. A.—McQuaken, Twitchell and Foley.

St. Alphonsus—O'Brien and Burns. Umpire—Duffy.

MANHATTANS TO THE FORE.

The Manhattans of South End defeated the Wesley Club of Dorchester yesterday afternoon on Franklin Field by the score of 9 to 2. The features of the game were the heavy batting of Duffy pitched a good game for the winners and was well supported. Rutherford of the Wesleys also starred in the fielding. Score by innings:

Manhattans	3	0	2	0	3	4	0	0	0	—12	11	3
Wesley	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	—2	5	4

Batteries—Atkinson and Twomey; Griggs and Jones.

KENSINGTON BY 12 TO 5.

The strong Kensington Club won an easy victory from the St. Anne's Church team of Roxbury, defeating them by 12 to 5. Hall played well for the winners and Fletcher excelled for St. Anne.

Kensington	0	3	2	3	2	1	0	0	1	—12	15	3
St. Anne	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	—5	7	4

Batteries—Hall and Woodman; Nichols and Goodman.

B. A. A. GUN CLUB.

Adams	21	20	41
Ellis	19	22	41
Whitten	22	22	44
Hyde	23	21	44
Gilman	19	21	40
Total			210

HARVARD CLUB.

Wadsworth	16	19	35
Dinan	17	20	37
Sawyer	19	19	38
Hardwick	20	21	41
Hauthway			
Total			156

BEVERLY DEFEATED.

Beverly, May 2.—Beverly was defeated by the Philadelphia Giants on Peabody's Field this afternoon, in an eleven-inning game, by a score of 5 to 4. The features of the game was the fielding of McInness, Mathewson batting and a catch of a line drive by Storke.

NOTRE DAMES ALL THE WAY

The Notre Dames of Roxbury defeated the Morrills of Dorchester yesterday afternoon by the score of 18 to 8. The features of the game were the batting of Sullivan and Callahan for the Notre Dames, and Kelley played well for the Morrills.

PARSONS' POOR WORK LOST YALE GAME

Pennsy Takes First Big Diamond Battle of the Year at New Haven, 3 to 2.

New Haven, May 2.—Yale lost to the University of Pennsylvania to-day, 3 to 2, in the first game of the season between nines representing the big four universities of the East. Parsons's poor pitching in the ninth frame gave the game. In the first inning he passed Thayer and Londrigan's triple and Spring's single scored two. In the eighth Thayer singled, stole and raced home when Parsons threw wildly to third on his single, his steal followed by errors by Pauxtis and Simpson. Philbin's home run in the eighth yielded Yale's second run. The score:

UNIV. OF PENN.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Thayer, cf.	1	1	0	0	0
Lond'n, 2b.	1	1	0	1	0
Spring, c.	0	1	6	0	0
Pauxtis, p.	0	0	1	2	0
Wood, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
Mink, lb.	0	0	9	0	0
Simpson, ss.	0	0	2	2	1
Sindlin, 3b.	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	2	4	27	12	1

YALE.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Philbin, c.	1	1	6	0	0
O'Connell, c.	0	1	3	0	0
Parsons, p.	0	0	0	3	0
Wheaton, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
Mills, lf.	0	0	1	0	0
Hinkey, 2b.	0	0	2	2	0
Murphy, 3b.	0	0	0	1	0
Perkins, ss.	0	0	1	1	1
Forsyth, lb.	0	0	12	0	0
Brown, cf.	0	0	0	0	0
Bonin, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	3	27	7	1

Batted for Parsons in the eighth.

Penn.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—3
Yale	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—2

Two-base hits—Penn, Thayer, Wood. Sacrifice hits—Lond'n, Pauxtis, Philbin. Stolen bases—Thayer, Lond'n, Pauxtis, Wheaton. Double plays—Clifford, Bass on balls—Off Parsons, 1; off Simpson, 1; off Bonin, 1. Struck out—By Parsons, 2; by Simpson, 2. Sacrifice hits—Pauxtis, Simpson, Spring. Time—1h. 45m. Attendance—4,000.

MALDEN HIGH TOO MUCH FOR MEDFORD

Two old rivals, Malden High and Medford High, crossed bats in Malden yesterday, when Malden came off the winner 3 to 1. It was the opening of the Suburban League series for Malden.

Moore was star man in the match, giving but three hits and striking out ten men.

Medford pulled McKearn, the first man to cross the plate in the first inning on a scoring hit only run. From then until Malden scored, the game was a one-two-three order.

The winning batting rally in the fifth brought Malden in three runs. There was no further scoring.

Malden H.	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	—3
Medford H.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

STONEHAM LOST BY A RUN.

Watertown High defeated Stoneham on Rowe's Hill, Stoneham, yesterday afternoon in the most exciting game of the season. Stoneham carried the lead throughout the game until the last inning, when Watertown piled up three runs. The score:

Watertown H.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	—3
Stoneham H.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

Batteries—Watertown, O'Brien and Osborne; Stoneham, Batchelder and McLoughlin.

MATTAPANS WIN OUT.

Mattapan Athletics defeated the Clarendons of Roslindale on Jones' Field, Mattapan, yesterday by a 6 to 5 score. Duffy pitched a good game for the winners and was well supported. Rutherford of the Clarendons did the most noticeable work for the losers. Score by innings:

										R.	H.	E.
Mattapan	3	0	0	2	0	4	1	9	—12	11	2	
Claremont	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	—5	6	3	

Batteries—Duffy and Cannon; Horner and Mellen. Umpire—Krimon.

B. A. A. BEAT HARVARD.

The B. A. A. Gun Club and Harvard met in a five-men team match of fifty birds each on the Harvard traps, and the former won by 206 to 156. Says of the B. A. A. was high man of the day with a score of 45. Results:

B. A. A. GUN CLUB.

Adams	21	20	41
Ellis	19	22	41
Whitten	22	22	44
Hyde	23	21	44
Gilman	19	21	40
Total			210

HARVARD CLUB.

Wadsworth	16	19	35
Dinan	17	20	37
Sawyer	19	19	38
Hardwick	20	21	41
Hauthway			
Total			156

YALE SHOOTERS LOSE.

New Haven, May 2.—The rifle club of the New York Athletic Club to-day defeated the Yale Gun Club, 506 to 496.

TECH MEN SMOTHER MAINE TEAM IN DUAL MEET

Gimson Leaves Sick Bed and Wins Half-Mile Race With a Terrific Sprint.

Technology's track team walked away with the University of Maine in a dual meet at Technology Field, yesterday afternoon, winning from the Orono boys by a score of 87¼ to 38¼. The Technology team went into the meet crippled by the loss of some of its best men, and the overwhelming score reflects great credit on Coach Frank M. Kanaly. After the first few events the outcome was not in doubt, but each event saw excellent individual performances.

The winning of the half mile by B. L. Gimson of Tech was the feature. Two Maine milers, Cartier and Dean, led up in the last hundred yards, with Gimson 80 yards behind. At the turn into the stretch Gimson hit up a terrific sprint and placed himself even with the leaders a few yards from the finish. In the last few strides he moved ahead for first place, the three men crossing the tape almost abreast.

Gimson in Critical Condition.

Gimson was in a critical physical condition after the finish, as he got up from a sick bed to run the race an hour before the meet, against the advice of his friends. P. D. Knight of Maine captured both hurdle events, closely followed over the barriers by his team mate, N. E. Smith. Knight was the highest individual point winner of the day, adding ten to the score of his team. W. Morrison of Tech gave his side nine points, also a first.

Another spectacular race was the mile run, in which C. A. Jones of Tech got first place over a field of stars. He held last place up to the three-quarter mark, when he began to close up and fought out first place with Hicks of Maine, breaking the tape with a good lead over the latter.

Pole Vault Goes by Default.

The pole vault went to Tech by default. The two-mile was a walkover for the local team, which captured all three places. In the quarter, Blackburn of Tech made the fast time of 53 2-5 seconds, nearly equaling the track record.

The relay was the closest event of the day. It appeared to the bystanders that Salsbury of Tech had won the race by a margin, but it was judged that his team mate, C. W. Wrang, had first. One of Maine was a close third.

By the showing made against Maine, the Tech team should stand a good chance against Brown next Saturday.

Tech	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1
Yale	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—2

100 yards dash—Won by H. B. Fond, Maine; C. W. Cram, Tech, second; W. J. Seligman, Tech, third. Time—10 2-5 sec.

220 yards dash—Won by W. G. Cram, Tech; W. U. Salisbury, Tech, second; H. Fond, Maine, third. Time—23 4-5 sec.

440 yards run—Won by H. W. Blackburn, Tech; W. U. Salisbury, Tech, second; E. T. Bass, Tech, third. Time—53 2-5 sec.

880 yards run—Won by B. L. Gimson, Tech; F. Cartier, Maine, second; C. H. Dean, Maine, third. Time—2 minutes, 4 3-5 sec.

Mile run—Won by L. O. Mills, Tech; W. M. Hicks, Maine, second; C. A. Jones, Tech, third. Time—4 mins. 43 3-5 sec.

Two-mile run—Won by H. Howland, Tech; J. F. McCarthy, Tech, second; G. F. Eldred, Tech, third. Time—10 mins. 36 sec.

120 yards high hurdles—Won by P. D. Knight, Maine; N. E. Smith, Maine, second; R. D. Emerson, Tech, third. Time—16 4-5 sec.

220 yards low hurdles—Won by P. D. Knight, Maine; N. E. Smith, Maine, second; G. B. Cumnock, Tech, third. Time—27 2-5 sec.

Pole vault—Won by Tech by default.

Running high jump—Won by W. Morrison, Tech; H. A. Metz, Maine, second; Captain Hall, Tech, third. Height—5 ft. 9 in.

Hammer throw—Won by W. Morrison, Tech; F. Moore, Tech, second; W. M. Black, Maine, third. Distance—101 ft. 3 in.

Putting 16-pound shot—Won by L. D. Nisbet, Tech; H. G. Walden, Maine, second; M. Morrison, Tech, third. Distance—39 ft. 11 in.

ROGER WOLCOTT WON.

In a one-sided game at Franklin Field yesterday the Roger Wolcotts of Dorchester defeated the crack Fairmount A. A. of Hyde Park, last year's champions of the Norfolk county, by the score of 15 to 1. Taylor of Hyde Park pitched the first three innings for the losers and for a short time pitched good ball. Consecutive hits by the whole Roger Wolcott nine in the fourth drove Taylor from the box and McPerran replaced him. Nelson connected for four safe hits during the batting feature. Perry pitched great ball throughout and but six scattered hits were the results he got. Another feature of the game was the whole batting of the Roger Wolcott team and the playing of McPerran, and Broders, who at present is leading the Norfolk county league by the Associated American. Score by innings:

	R.	H.	E.
Wolcotts	3	0	7	0	1	0	4	x	—15	18	2
Fairmounts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1	6	3

Batteries—Roger Wolcott: Perry and Nelson. Fairmounts: Taylor, McPerran and McIntyre.

ADAMS HAD BEST SCORE.

Winchester, May 2.—At the Winchester Country Club this afternoon a bogie three-fourths handicap was won by B. D. Adams, with a score of 84. The results:

Adams, 17-3; H. D. Chubman, 12-0; F. P. Bean, 9-2; C. H. Whitten, 8-2; C. H. Bean, 9-2; C. H. W. Sawyer, 18-3; F. R. Fernald, 9-3; A. H. Richardson, 18-6; R. S. Richardson, 18-6.

HAWTHORNES ON TOP.

The Hawthorne 2nd team of Roxbury defeated the Weldons of Roslindale on Whitman Street field yesterday by the score of 6 to 5. The feature of the game was the pitching of Richter for the Hawthornes. Score by innings:

Hawthorne	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	—6	7	3
Weldons	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	—5	4	5

Batteries—Hawthornes, Dichert and Glinn; Weldon, Schwab and Nisson.

TOO COLD FOR BROWN GAME

The Brown-Syracuse game at Syracuse was called off on account of cold weather.

FOSTER MAKES BIG SIX-STRING TOTAL

One of the highest string bowling scores made in this city this year, and one of the highest recorded was that made by C. H. Foster Saturday, at the Old Colony bowling team, on Summer street. His total for six strings was 685, with an average of 115¼ to the string. The strings were as follows: 107, 98, 123, 123, 109 and 125.

Mr. Foster's best six-string total prior to this was made in November, 1907, when he had a pin fall of 904. His best single string was made in July of the same year, when he scored a 174 fall.

OTHER BASEBALL GAMES.

At St. Paul—Louisville, 1; St. Paul, 2.

At Minneapolis—Indianapolis, 4; Minneapolis, 0.

At Milwaukee—Columbus, 3; Milwaukee, 2.

At Kansas City—Toledo, 9; Kansas City, 5.

At Hartford—Trinity, 8; Boston University, 1.

At New Britain—New Britain, 4; Springfield, 0.

At Andover—Yale Freshmen, 11; Phillips Andover, 0 (9 innings).

At Ithaca—Cornell-Princeton game postponed, wet grounds.

At Ann Arbor, Mich.—Beloit-Michigan game off.

At West Point—University of Virginia, 1; West Point 1 (7 innings, rain).

At Exeter, N. H.—Phillips Exeter, 4; University of Maine, 3.

At Portland, Me.—Bowdoin, 11; Bates, 7.

CURNEY WON CLOSE RACE.

Thomas Curney of the Neponset A. A. raced out John Sullivan of the Codman A. A. at the finish of the ten-mile cross-country run in Dorchester. The race was for a gold cup offered by Eugene Murphy of Dorchester. Curney won the cup and bronze medal went to the next five men, Sullivan, Murphy and Donahue of the Codman A. A., Kelley of the Neponset A. A. and Casey of the All Saints' T. T. There were over forty entries.

HIGH SCHOOL GAME MONDAY

The Newton-English High baseball games which was to be played Tuesday will be played to-morrow afternoon at Newton.

READING BEATS EVERETT.

Reading defeated Everett A. A. at Reading yesterday in the first of a series of games 12 to 2. Two of Everett's star artists were knocked from the box.

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BROWN NOSES OUT WILLIAMS 64 TO 62

Providence Athletes Win Most of the First Places in the Dual Games.

Williamstown, Mass., May 2.—The Brown University track team defeated the Williams College track team on Weston field this afternoon by the close score of 64 to 62. The Brunonians landed the majority of first places, securing ten out of fourteen but the Berkshire athletes swelled their score by capturing most of the seconds and thirds.

Mayhew, Brown's all around athlete, led in points, scoring 18½, with Horrax, the purple captain following with 15. Bonner and Hartigan each had ten points and Stevens and Bell five. The events were closely contested throughout and several Weston field records were equaled. Summary:

100-yard dash—Won by Hartigan, Brown; Mayhew, Brown, second; Alexander, Williams, third. Time—0 9-5s.

One-mile run—Won by Bonner, Williams; Greene, Brown, second; Sexton, Williams, and Hunt, Brown, tied for third. Time 4.49 1-5.

120-yard hurdle—Won by Mayhew, Brown; Horrax, Williams, second; Young, Brown, third. Time—0 15-5s.

880-yard run—Won by Hopkins, Williams; Cate, Williams, second; Stevens, Williams, third. Time—2 minutes, 4 3-5s.

440-yard run—Won by Stevens, Williams; Young, Brown, second; Sexton, Williams, third. Time—54 4-5s.

220-yard dash—Won by Hartigan, Brown; Keller, Williams, second; Alexander, Williams, third. Time—0 22 4-5s.

Two-hundred and twenty-yard hurdle—Won by Mayhew, Brown; Horrax, Williams, second; Forsyth, Williams, third. Time—26 1-5.

Running broad jump—Won by Bonner, Williams; Greene, Brown, second; Cate, Williams, third. Distance—21 ft. 4 in.

Running high jump—Won by Mayhew, Brown; Ely, all Williams, tied for first. Height—5ft. 8in.

Shot put—Won by Hopkins, Williams; Bell, Brown, second. Distance, 40ft. 10¾in.; Walcott, Brown, second; Williams, third.

Running broad jump—Won by Mayhew, Brown, distance, 21ft. 6in.; Hartigan, Williams, second; Mayhew, Brown, third.

Throwing the hammer (sixteen pounds)—Won by Hazard, Brown; Bell, Brown, second; Bancel, Brown, second; Thomas, Williams, third.

Pole vault—Won by Horrax, Williams, height, 10ft. 3in.; Hurford, Brown, second, height, 10ft.; Bell, Brown, third, height, 9ft. 6in. Williams first, Brown second, Brown third.

Running high jump—Won by Richter, Brown, distance, 5ft. 10¾in.; Wood, Williams, second, distance, 5ft. 9¾in.; Wood, Williams, third, distance, 5ft. 8¾in.

NEAR TO RECORDS IN YALE GAMES

Special to the Sunday American.

New Haven, May 2.—Under ideal weather conditions Yale's annual track meet was held this afternoon. Lilley, son of the "conscientious objector" scandal congressional investigation, won the 100-yard dash in the time of 10 seconds flat. The most sensational performance of the day was the sizzling race of Robert LaRoulaine in the running high jump. He skimmed over the 220 pegs in 21 4-5 seconds, close to the world's record, as the peg was at the 6 foot 2 inch score, and Gilbert cleared the bar at 12 feet 9 inches, which is also the world's figure, in the half-mile run Max Kirjasoff, a Russian, came through a fierce field and won in the fast time of 2 minutes 1 second. The summaries:

The Results.

100-yard dash, won by T. R. Lilley, 1911; time, 10 sec.; second, C. W. Brownell, 1910; third, Shaw, D. Crippen, 1908.

220-yard dash, won by Robert La Roulaine, 1911; time, 24 sec.; second, Lilley; third, Brownell.

440-yard dash, won by La Montaine; time, 51 2-5 seconds; second, Bissell, 1910; third, H. Hare, 1911.

880-yard dash, won by M. F. Kirkpatrick, 1910; time, 2m. 1s.; second, S. L. Frissell, 1908; third, H. Milliken, 1910.

One-mile run, won by H. A. Spitzer, 1909; time, 4m. 40 4-5s.; second, C. Cossar, 1910; third, C. Magee, 1909.

Two-mile run, won by M. J. Weeks, 1909; time, 10m. 13 1-5s.; second, M. Lightner, 1910; third, G. P. Haskell, 1910.

Running high jump, won by R. A. King, 1910;

RACE MEET AT READVILLE MEMORIAL DAY

A. A. A. TOUR RULES WILL BE STRINGENT

Edited by J. C. KERRISON

LICENSES MORE NEW ONES ANNOUNCED

BAY STATE A. A. WILL HOLD RACES ON MAY 30

Interesting List of Events Arranged and Noted Drivers Will Compete.

BY J. C. KERRISON.

Boston is to enjoy her annual motor tournament on Memorial Day next.

The race committee of the Bay State Automobile Association has not only determined to hold a race, but has already gone ahead with the arrangements for the same in a manner which is demonstrative of success and the production of racing that will appeal to those who enjoy that branch of motoring.

This committee, consisting of Harry W. Knights, Charles E. Fay and John J. Snow, has scheduled six motor vehicles and two motor-cycle events, the latter for the first time being held in conjunction with the race of the association.

Readville has, of course, been selected as the theatre of action, and the committee feels satisfied that it will be enabled to present to the public some of the best and closest of stock car competition as well as a few match races, in at least one of which there should be a likelihood of a reduction in the track record, if not the world's competitive record.

Noted Cars May Race.

Negotiations are now pending for the appearance here of at least two cars that competed in the recent Briarcliffe. Neither are among the first three prize winners, but their work in the Briarcliffe was such as to demonstrate that they were most evenly matched as to horsepower and actual performance.

The regular scheduled events are, with the exception of one, all for stock cars, that one being a twenty-mile stripped stock chassis in which all gasolene cars, irrespective of horsepower, are eligible for competition. The list of events is:

Five-mile open to gasolene stock touring cars of from 24.1 to 40 h. p.

Five-mile open to gasolene stock touring cars from 40.1 to 60 h. p.

Five-mile free for all gasolene stock runabouts or tourabouts.

Twenty miles stripped chassis race.

Five-mile handicap open to all stock gasolene cars.

Five-mile open to single cylinder motorcycles.

Five-mile open to all motorcycles.

There is a great deal of interest being manifested in the several events, and judging from what one hears along the motor trade more than one couple will be found fighting the good fight on the race track that day. The American is just waiting for a chance to even things up with the Peerless, and it will be most surprising if the two cars do not come together in at least one of the events scheduled.

The handicap race is the first of its character to be attempted on the local track, and from what has been experienced in other cities it should prove to be one of the most interesting and closely contested of the lot. The handicapping of the cars will be done on the basis of what they can show in the other events, and with time reduced to distance some close handicapping should be possible.

Motorcycle Events.

The two motorcycle events will draw a field of riders, as many of the local clubs seem to be interested in the same, and will have representatives in the events.

The entry blanks and other data will be published and circulated during the coming week, when the committee anticipates making some definite announcement of particular interest to all.

S. L. Haynes of Springfield, one of the most prominent motorists of the State, has accepted an invitation to act as referee, while the board of judges will consist of men who have ever been prominent in motoring affairs.

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The latest edict from the office of the racing board is to the effect that a Vanderbilt Cup race will be held in the Fall. Chairman Thompson of the board recently made a positive statement to that effect. This is decidedly interesting, as it means that American manufacturers may continue their work to produce racing machines that may cope successfully with the foreign product, without fear of being left high and dry without a race. The course on which the contest shall be driven has not yet been selected, there being three candidates in the field, namely, Connecticut, Savannah and St. Louis.

It is generally believed that because of the distance from New York of St. Louis the choice of a Vanderbilt circuit rests between Georgia and Connecticut. Savannah offers a fast course and thorough military protection. State, county and city officials are united in the effort to obtain the race contest and if obtained will co-operate with local automobilists to make the event a great success.

Connecticut so far offers nothing, but it is no secret that several members of the Vanderbilt Cup Commission favor a race in that State. The principal reason is because of its proximity to New York city. Another reason is a desire to serve a State that was the first to enact sensible automobile laws. There is said to be no question as to the employment of troops in that State in guarding the course. This is answered by the announcement that a hill climbing contest at Bridgeport on Labor Day is to be guarded by a detachment of the coast artillery, and that an international event like the Vanderbilt Cup would certainly fare as well.

Favors Connecticut.

A. L. Riker, a technical member of the cup commission, is particularly interested in the selection of a Connecticut course. He is said to have in view two circuits, one near Bridgeport and the other near Hartford. The latter is said to be the more favorable.

Ten entries are said to be assured for the Vanderbilt Cup race. These include two Thomas, two Locomobile and two Apperson cars. Foreign entries are more uncertain, the difference in eligibility conditions between the Vanderbilt and Grand Prix condition barring cars built for the latter event. There may, however, be entries of foreign cars built for the last Vanderbilt race.

BOTH RAMBLERS WON.

Managers V. A. Charles of the local branch of Thomas B. Jeffery & Co. have received word that in the recent Norristown Auto Club endurance run, the Rambler thirty-four and roadster entered, both finished with perfect score.

SALES MANAGER BENSON, CADILLAC MOTOR COMPANY.

ERNEST BENSON DESERVED RECENT HIGH PROMOTION

Sales Manager of the Cadillac Co.; and His Friends Say He Will Surely "Make Good."

The elevation of Ernest R. Benson to the position of sales manager of the Cadillac Motor Car Company which occurred on May Day comes in the form of well deserved promotion and is certainly recognition of duty well performed.

Mr. Benson is virtually a Boston boy, and has been interested in motoring and its kindred industries for years. He, like many another, first saw luminous experience in the early bicycle days, being then connected with the Pope Company. Here he worked hard and faithfully and in a short time received advancement in the service. Some dozen or more years ago he became identified with the Hartford Rubber Works Company, having charge of the Boston branch. His executive and business ability was such as to make the Boston branch the banner house of the big company, and in the East.

It is said there is to be an entire reorganization of the Association of Licensed Automobile Manufacturers, so far as the payment of royalties under patents operative upon it is concerned. The decision of the Electric Vehicle Company, owners of the patent, to the United States Circuit Court is granted.

The plan to be broached to the members is said to be substantially as follows:

By the terms of the agreement manufacturers are obliged to pay royalties of 1½ per cent. on the selling price of all vehicles manufactured under the Selden patents, except those which are equipped with engines on which the royalty is a quarter of 1 per cent. Under the new plan it is proposed to reduce the royalty on gasolene vehicles to 1 per cent., the reduction to be made with retroactive effect on such amounts as may be in excess of that rate already paid. The present agreement also provides that the royalty shall be paid on the entire selling price of the car of the patent, which is a disadvantage to the manufacturer who equips his cars with detachable tops.

Prior to the announcement of the receivership the members of the association had insisted that the royalty should be paid on the bodies only, which would mean a substantial reduction in the amount of royalties paid. Recently, however, the Electric Vehicle Company has refused to accept royalties on bodies upon the ground that such were excessive and oppressive. There has been a large amount of royalties in arrears by the motor owning members of the association, and the purpose of avoiding a prolonged and expensive litigation to compel the payment of royalties now in arrears, and those to become due in the future, is the reason given for the plan that it will be to the interest of the creditors and all concerned to have the Selden patent modified, to modify the existing agreements with the manufacturers and to reduce the royalties to a reasonable basis. It is said that the limitation that the maximum royalty to be paid in one year shall not exceed $200,000 is

Licensed Auto Association Will Be Reorganized

"WON'T SLIP" TIRES NOT AFFECTED

The enactment of the latest ordinance of the Metropolitan Park Commissioners regarding the chains and armored tires has caused considerable action on the part of motor owners during the past week. The chains as a rule have been discarded, while armored tires have become obsolete so far as their use on cars which frequent the thoroughfares and roads under the jurisdiction of the commission. This ruling of the commission does not in any way affect the use of Bailey Won't Slip tires, which tires have become recognized as a sure preventative of side slipping.

NEW WHITE RECORDS.

A new record from San Francisco to Los Angeles has just been set up for a 30-horsepower White steamer, which made the 470-mile trip in 17 hours and 17 minutes, or 50 minutes better than the previous record which had stood for over a year. Ever since this car was introduced on the Pacific Coast, the San Francisco-Los Angeles record has engaged activities of ambitious California drivers, as the holding of this record gives a tremendous prestige to the successful car. The road between the two cities is of such a dangerous character and presents so many obstacles to rapid travelling that each year drivers have met with serious mishaps in their attempts to capture this much-coveted record. To those who know the road conditions the new record made by the White is considered most remarkable.

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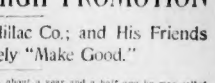

Scribner's Magazine for May contains one of the sanest automobile articles ever written. It says, in part:

"The car which will not run 'dead slow' in high gear will not accelerate in high gear except at ordinary road speeds. That means that it its driver slows down for whatever reason, he must drop back into intermediate gear to get up speed again. But changing gears, especially in the older types of cars, requires some skill, and a mental interruption at best, and in a crisis there is the chance that a false motion may bring disaster. Consequently the average driver of an inflexible car avoids slackening below his effective high-gear speed as much as possible, and comes to regard slow-downs as a nuisance to be avoided.

"The speed craze is a vital fact to be reckoned with; but it has not grown unaided. The inflexible car has from the first been its most powerful abettor.

"The speed craze in the larger sense has probably reached its height to-day, and its decline is impending. Even now there are many symptoms of its passing. One of these is the general demand—irrational enough to the engineer, yet with a strong justification in the psychology of the man who drives—for cars that will do 'stunts' in high gear, notably hill-climbing.

"Another symptom is the popularity of the six-cylinder car. For reasons to be given here a six-cylinder internal combustion motor will run slower, both idle and loaded, and will accelerate better from 'dead slow,' than the four-cylinder motor of like power, other conditions being equal. The 'six,' again, is in perfect mechanical balance, and therefore practically free from vibration, whereas even the smoothest four-cylinder motor's running balance is only approximate, and its passengers are wonted to the vibration, rather than unconscious of it.

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The speed limit for Middlesex Fells Parkway, Revere Beach Parkway, Mystic Valley Parkway, Fresh Pond Parkway, Blue Hills Parkway, Neponset River Parkway, Charles River Road in Watertown, Lynnway, Furnace Brook Parkway betwen Adams and Willard streets, the driveway of Lynn Shore Reservation and that portion of the driveway of Revere Beach Reservation from Lynnway to Revere street is a rate of fifteen miles an hour; and on all other roads or parkways where automobiles and vehicles propelled by other than animal power are allowed a rate of ten mile an hour.

W. H. HOTCHKISS MEETS MOTORISTS

President of the A. A. A. Roughly Criticises Reckless Auto Drivers.

President W. H. Hotchkiss of the American Automobile Association had the pleasure yesterday afternoon of meeting representatives of almost every motoring club in the State, and particularly those affiliated with the Massachusetts State Automobile Association. The president had come from his home city just for the purpose of meeting these gentlemen and saying something about autos and the work being done by the organization. His remarks were clear, concise and direct to the point, and most interesting.

The speaker said among other things that motorists had to combat the prejudice in the mind of the general public against the motorists, a certain portion of which had arisen from the fact that in the early days motor cars were used almost exclusively by the rich. Its depredated the headless, reckless and desperate drivers, saying that if he had his way reckless men would be pinned behind prison bars. The second fact that crept up against it made to see the error of its way the better it will be for all owners and users of the motor vehicle, and President Hotchkiss felt that it was the duty of organizations to do their share towards the apprehension and conviction of such drivers. He believed that there should be four principles involved in all automobile laws; first, provisions for possible identification; second, prohibition of reckless driving, third, penalties for violations of the laws; fourth, prohibition on local regulations.

Those four principles he felt would cover the ground most thoroughly, its felt that motors should be driven in a manner that the public will not be injured, but it is not the thing for local authorities to say that a car shall not be driven more than so many miles an hour, such a law as that is now being considered in New York. This law, he said, will place the blame where it belongs, on the man behind the wheel.

Judge Hotchkiss told of the great work that is being accomplished throughout the country by organization, and he felt that Massachusetts is doing her share towards the general success. He felt, however, that the different organizations should take hold of the Federal legislation bill and endeavor to bring about the general adoption of a law like the one proposed in New York State. He also referred to the convention to be held in Buffalo on July 7 and 8 and expressed a wish that every club in the State send delegates.

Chairman W. H. Chase of the Good Roads Committee stated that every club in the association has made arrangements to have at least three delegates at the meeting.

Subsequent to the meeting, which was most informal, Lewis R. Speare, who is entertaining Judge Hotchkiss, drove a party over the bridge to inspect the Chelsea ruins.

Importers' Auto Salon Will Leave the Garden

Instead of exhibiting at Madison Square Garden, as they did last Winter, the members of the Importers' Automobile Salon will show their foreign cars next year at the Grand Central Palace show which will be conducted by the American Motor Car Manufacturers' Association. The dates for the show are December 31 to January 7.

Arrangements for the exhibition of the foreign cars at the Grand Central Palace show were made yesterday at a meeting of the directors of the Importers' Automobile Salon, Inc., and the representatives of the A. M. C. M. A.

A section of the main floor has been set aside for the importers, who will allot the space to their own members. The cars to be exhibited, numbering eighteen, include the Fiat, Renault, Panhard, Mais, C. G. V., Isotta Fraschini, Zust, Clement, Hotchkiss, Delaunay Belleville, Bianchi, Mercedes, DeDietrich, Benz, Hals, Martini, Delahaye and Itala.

Andre Michelin, president of the Importers' Automobile Salon, Inc., has appointed E. R. Hollander as representative of the association to serve on the A. M. C. M. A. show committee, which consists of H. O. Smith, chairman; S. H. Mora, R. J. Owen, Benjamin Briscoe and Alfred Reeves, general manager.

TIRES LIVE LONGER IF THEY'RE USED

J. D. Anderson, president of the Hartford Rubber Works Company, Hartford, Ct., says that one of the greatest evils the tire manufacturer has to contend with is lack of care of tires and carelessness in driving. One of the greatest enemies of rubber is its non-use.

A tire in use will last longer than one which is "laid up." Most touring cars are put up for the Winter, and while it is true it most cases they are jacked up off the tires, at the same time in most every case oil or some substance which is harmful to rubber comes in contact with it. If driven out and as soon as the Spring comes on and the car is put on the road the inevitable troubles commence.

ROBERTS TO GO ABROAD.

Montague Roberts will handle the American entrant in the New York to Paris race in its finishing days, weeks, or months, as the case may be. Roberts is authority for the statement that he will go to France at once to drive in the Grand Prix Race, and after that event travel via the Trans-Siberian Railroad to the nearest point and there take the Thomas flyer in hand for the final dash to Paris.

NEW CLEANER FOR AUTO TOPS

There has always been one strong objection in using macintosh material for auto tops and that is the fact that in certain shades it is so easily soiled and so hard to clean, as it is impossible to use gasoline or anything of that nature without destroying the life of the rubber compound. But this objection can be overcome by the use of Ze-Nole, the new fluid cleaner, which can be used freely without any injurious effect upon the rubber compound, and which readily removes all spots produced by the dust, rain, or mud, as well as all ordinary grease spots. The new cleaner is manufactured by F. S. Carr.

ENTRY BLANKS FOR TOURS.

Entries for the A. A. A. reliability contest for the Glidden trophy can be made at any time now, giving only the fee, the name of the car and of the entrant. It will not be necessary for entrants to give the names of drivers and observers until the entries close on July 5. Entries are made with Chairman F. H. Hower, the Main street, Buffalo. Blanks may be had from him, from Arthur Jarvis, No. 23 West Forty-second street, New York, or from any of the principal dealers.

BUSY DAYS AT FRANKLIN FACTORY

The Franklin factory, which since the panic in October has been the busiest place in Syracuse, is now one month behind on deliveries. Carload shipments were made to fifteen different cities last week.

The company is considering putting on a night force again. The night force was discontinued last November.

ENTERTAIN AT FERNCROFT.

Sales Manager C. [illegible] Redden and G. B. Grant of the Stoddard-Dayton Company spent yesterday in this [illegible] as the guest of Manager Daniels of the local branch of the Studebaker Company. Last evening these three gentlemen participated in the opening ceremonies at Ferncroft, they entertaining as their guests the automobile writers of the several Boston newspapers.

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Boston American's Course of Lessons FOR SALESPEOPLE

Below Are Last Week's Review and Questions
Lessons Appear Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays

Review of Important Points in Last Week's Lessons

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Lesson Twenty-eight No salesperson can know his or her stock *too well*. Keep posted from day to day.

For the one reason of *time saved* in handling customers it pays to be as familiar with your goods as possible.

The well acquainted clerk can *sell all around* the clerk who does not take trouble to keep in close touch with his stock.

Lesson Twenty-nine No matter how trivial the duty may be *do not shirk it.*

There are good reasons for being faithful in little details aside from the service you are rendering your employer—*you are developing yourself.*

Many a clerk has had his or her real advancement commence with the *doing well of a little duty.*

Lesson Thirty It is important that a sale *be started well.* A false start will often spoil a sale.

Do not start in and urge certain goods too hard until you find out about what *the purse limit* of your customer is.

But *do not ask immediately* what the customer wants to pay. That often insults them.

QUESTIONS TO ASK YOURSELF

Have I let my knowledge of my stock get away from me through not watching it close enough?

Do I let more alert clerks sell around me?

Have I got into the bad habit of shirking minor details?

Do I realize that this shirking habit is injuring myself more than anyone else?

Do I make an effort to take pains and start my sales right?

Have I lost sales by misjudging the size of my customer's purse?

A Letter and An Answer.

Boston American:

On last Sunday's American I read an article which was headed "A Lesson for Shoppers." I don't think it was strong enough. Half of the shoppers, women I mean, for men are invariably considerate, do not care a particle how much trouble they give the clerk, and in fact seem to delight in making it hard. It has often been said that women show no pity for their own sex and if any doubt this let them go behind the counter and see for themselves.

A WINTER STREET SALESWOMAN.

The Winter Street Saleswoman undoubtedly thinks she has a large grievance against her sex in general. She shows this in her unfavorable comparison with a male shopper. But whether her statement that half of the women customers are heartless will stand the test of analysis is certainly open to debate.

Just to get another opinion the letter was shown to a woman in one of the large stores who was in a selling position for years before taking a situation as an assistant buyer. Even now this same woman is in very intimate touch with customers and sales.

This woman said, "I believe that much depends upon the personality of the salespeople themselves as to whether they find their customers 'hard' or not.

"I think that the writer of the letter, if she really is correct that half of her customers are overbearing and try to make trouble, should look to herself carefully, and I feel that a good deal of the difficulty is with herself.

"In my experience of a good many years I certainly cannot say that half or even a quarter, of the customers I have had have been inconsiderate. It should be remembered that there is very little sentiment in business and the average customer is looking for the best thing her money can buy. It is her money she is spending, and the great middle class of customers have to spend it carefully.

But on the other hand, that the more overbearing and inconsiderate customers, as a rule, do not come from this great middle class, but from the class who have more money to spend and to whom the mere money's worth of the purchase would seem to be less important. I am sorry to say that there are, undoubtedly, a great many women who are totally without any kind feelings toward the salespeople who earn their living by waiting upon them. But I am afraid this will always be so.

"However, I feel sure that a great many complaints like those of this letter have a good start in the woman who is complaining. Many salesgirls have a way of intimidating a customer at the start. I have felt that way myself, often, but have tried to overcome it."

This is a helpful view of the question. The American will be glad to hear from others who may have something to say on this topic which has to largely to do with the contentment and service rendered by the salespeople in the large stores.

KNIGHTS TO OPEN NEW ROXBURY LODGE

Columbus Order to Get Strong Addition to Membership Next Sunday.

A new council of the Knights of Columbus will be instituted for the Roxbury district next Sunday afternoon and evening, May 10, in Intercolonial Halls on Dudley street. The meeting will begin from 1 o'clock in the afternoon until near midnight.

The charter list of fifty for this new council is one of the strongest in quality given to the order in this State for some time and comprises the names of many of the most prominent men in this section of the city.

More than one-half of the membership is of professional men of high standing, men like John H. Casey, ex-United States district attorney; Michael Farrell, associate justice; Alexander C. Chisholm, the dean of Drs. Thomas F. and William H. Greene, Drs. Timothy J. Murphy, Thomas Hennessey, William T. Holland, Thomas A. Ryan, Henry McBride, James Gately, Richard McCoy, John W. Farren, Joseph A. Farren, Hugh Nawn and Neil McGuinness, contractors, and other well known builders, mining dealers, iron and steel and cement manufacturers, bank presidents, corporation officers, real estate men and other leaders in their respective vocations.

VASSAR PROFESSOR CALLED TO CHICAGO

Chicago, May 2.—Professor Henry Seeley White of Vassar College has been selected by the University of Chicago to fill the vacancy in the department of mathematics caused by the death of Professor Heinrich Maschke.

ADMIRAL PERMITS SUNDAY BALL GAME

Ignores Appeal of Portsmouth Churchmen to Stop Long Planned Match.

Portsmouth, N. H., May 2.—Regardless of the appeal of the pastor of the Second Christian Church, the Rev. E. H. Macy and other church people of the town of Portsmouth, Admiral Bickell, commandant of the Portsmouth Navy Yard, has issued orders to the men on the scout cruiser and the yard marine guard to the effect that the Sunday baseball planned for tomorrow would go on if the weather would permit, and he expects no interference as the civil authority is concerned.

The admiral considers that the men of the navy are working hard and long hours during the week and should be allowed to indulge in any healthy legitimate sport on Sunday as long as he is in charge of the government reservation at the yard.

As Portsmouth Navy Yard is open to visitors on Sunday, a large crowd will witness the game, which promises to be most exciting.

PEASANT GIRL IS "HUMAN OSTRICH"

Berlin, May 2.—A "human ostrich" has been discovered at Hochberg, Silesia, differing from what was thought a rarity, a peasant girl came to a local doctor, who found, when he operated, that the "human" was really a compact mass of hardware, which the girl must have swallowed. The strange diet, which weighed two and a half pounds, consisted of 1,600 one-inch nails, 100 boot pins, 70 needles, seven nail heads and four fragments of glass.

CUT OUT THE "LESSONS"

Every Sunday we print a review and self-examination of the lessons which appear during the week. A good plan is to clip the lessons and reviews out and paste them in a scrapbook. You will then have a manual on salesmanship that you could not buy for a good many dollars. It may be worth hundreds to you in increased salary.

News of the Stores.

At the GILCHRIST CO.'S store interest among the employes centres around the play that the members of the Gilchrist Co. Welfare Association are to produce on the evening of May 21, in Jordan Hall. This is assured a big success by the way the tickets are being sold, and the people that attend will be sure of seeing "When We Were Twenty-One" played by a first-class amateur company.

Miss Margaret Todd, employed in the main office at the Gilchrist Co., returned to her work on Monday morning after an absence of three weeks.

Miss Violet Goodwin is still confined to her home by illness. She is employed in the lace department at Gilchrist Co.'s.

Mr. H. F. Leighton, buyer of shoes at the Gilchrist Co.'s, attended on Tuesday evening the wedding of Mr F. J. Currier in Lynn.

Mr. G. B. Kaiser of the dress goods department at Gilchrist Co.'s is reported as improving in health. He has been absent from the store for seven weeks.

Mr. John Baker of the silk department at Gilchrist Co.'s, who has been on the sick list, is feeling better, and before long will be back in his department.

Miss Rose McManus of the leather goods department at Gilchrist Co.'s will sail on the "Saxonia" next Tuesday for Ireland. She will be absent about four weeks.

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At the HENRY SIEGEL CO. store, the center walls that divided the building in two and which the workmen have been tearing down for the past few weeks, have been nearly all removed, and thousands of square feet of floor space have been added by this improvement, giving a much more attractive floor space.

The new locations of departments are as follows: The smallwares, notions and dressmakers' supplies are now on the Hayward place side of the main floor, among the dry goods sections; the books and stationery department, which was formerly on the second floor, has been moved down on the main floor, Essex street side, near the elevators; the leather goods are now closer to the Washington street side, opposite the escalator, Essex street side the umbrellas are now in the men's furnishing department, corner of Essex and Washington streets, and the sewing machine department, which was formerly in the basement and then moved to the main floor, has been moved to a location on the third floor with the rugs and upholsteries, where the demonstrators will continue to give free instruction on machine work.

The appointment of the engagement of Miss Louise Frechette, of the main office at the Henry Siegel Co., to Mr. Clement young man of Beverly is causing much interest among her many friends.

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At the JAMES A. HOUSTON CO.'S store extensive alterations have been put in progress in the upholstery section and now this department, under the management of Mr. T. H. Currian, as buyer, occupies the entire fourth floor, main store.

The young ladies of the James A. Houston Company Relief Association have been receiving many congratulations on the successful bean party which was held last week for the benefit of the association. It was both a success from a financial and social standpoint.

Mr. F. H. Magrane, president of the James A. Houston Company, is enjoying a well-earned vacation at the Virginia Hot Springs, Va.

Preparations are now in progress by the office force of the James A. Houston Company for a shirt waist party, to be held May 25th, at Howe hall, for the benefit of the relief association. As this is the last social event of the season considerable interest is being made to have this as successful or more so than any other party which has been held. The committee in charge includes Mr. Charles Wilson, Mr. Fred Mawson, Mr. Walter P. Gilbert, Mr. Charles Todd, Miss Gladys Richardson, Miss Mary Thomson, Miss Eva Briggs.

Miss Clara M. Wilkinson, assistant buyer of coats, has resigned her position and is preparing to take a well-earned vacation in Rock Island, Quebec. Mrs. E. F. Ryan, in behalf of the employes of the coat department, presented Miss Wilkinson with a silver candelabra.

Miss M. E. Tierney, formerly in the costume department of the James A. Houston Company, has been assigned as assistant buyer of skirts.

Arrangements are being made for the baseball team of the James A. Houston Company, under the management of Mr. E. T. Hamilton, and at a meeting held this week it is expected that all matters will be finally settled.

Miss M. E. Tierney has again expressed her willingness to entertain the members of the James A. Houston Company, in aid of the relief association, the proceeds of which will be for the relief association of the James A. Houston Company.

Miss Ella M. Morris, formerly assistant in the fur department, has been appointed assistant in the coat department, to succeed Miss Wilkinson, resigned.

The many friends of Mr. A. H. H. Cotton, floor manager on the second floor of the James A. Houston Company, will be pleased to learn of his recovery from a severe attack of malaria.

Miss Lillian Spence, assistant in the neckwear department of the James A. Houston Company, is taking a well-earned vacation of three weeks in the Berkshires.

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At the R. H. WHITE CO.'S store the people of Boston and vicinity will have the pleasure Monday and this week of seeing a decidedly novel window display. This consists of a fourteen tub, the water of which is played upon beautiful foulard silks, of all the season's newest colors and effects, without wetting or impairing them in the slightest. The silks are piled up to form a fountain, and it is indeed an attractive setting.

The cloak and suit department has now two new members in Miss Mildred King, a newcomer to Boston, and Miss M. Joy, formerly with this department, having recently returned.

The special feature in the Furniture Department at the R. H. White Co. this week is a complete bedroom in white enameled furniture, appropriate for this season of the year, bed, chiffonier, dressing room, enameled chairs daintily upholstered in flowered fabrics, in fact everything complete to the smallest detail. This display is on the fourth floor, rear, near the new lifting rooms.

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At the SHEPARD NORWELL CO., Mr. Edward E. Cole, vice-president, returned Thursday from his Southern trip.

Mr. Stephen Aita, commonly known as "Professor," entertained a party of fellow-employes at his studio on Tremont street, Thursday evening. Mr. Aita is quite proficient in manipulating the keyboard of the pianoforte, and his guests report having enjoyed the music immensely.

Mr. Peter Cullen has recently launched his new power boat "Highball." She is a very speedy little craft as well as seaworthy, and Mr. Cullen intends to take extensive sailing trips during the coming season. On May 10, Mr. George Chase will accompany him to Hull.

On Thursday evening, in the wholesale department, there was a general demonstration of great sadness in bidding farewell to Mr. Arthur Ryan, who severed his connection with the house on that date. Mr. Ryan is now associated with the H. B. Claflin Company, acting as their Maine representative. His associates in the wholesale department presented him with a very handsome sterling silver fob, in memory of the many happy years spent together.

The Shepard Norwell Company fire drill held its annual meeting Friday evening and has added the following members to its already large department: Messrs. Herbert Mode, silk department; Daybl Lewis, white goods; Louis A. Wolfson, men's furnishings, and George J. Rosenthal, white goods section. Mr. James Lindah is captain of the squad.

Mr. Herbert Mode scored a bowling success in the haircut show at the Newtowne Club of Cambridge last Tuesday night. Mr. Mode is a prominent member of this club.

The last fortnight has been of a rather strenuous nature for Mr. James V. Duffy of the contract department. On Patriots' Day he acted as usher at a twentieth-fifth anniversary; then he made a hurried trip to New Hampshire and Vermont, and on his return participated in a golden wedding.

Messrs. MacGregor, Merrill, Duffy and Glass of the contract department had a theatre party Friday night, and report a very enjoyable time.

Secret Wedding Is Revealed When Bride Lost Last Train

MRS. FLORENCE DERDERIAN

TOLD POLICE HIS BRIDE WAS LOST

Groom's Bungle Bares Secret of Elopement of Young Lynn Couple.

An appeal made to the Lynn police to learn the whereabouts of his pretty bride of but two weeks brought to light the secret wedding in Lynn on April 18 of Miss Florence Hobbs, daughter of a former well-known Roxbury orchestra leader, and Krikor Derderian, a Lynn shoeworker, who were married by City Clerk Attwill at City Hall.

The pretty bride left Lynn Thursday, ostensibly to visit friends in Revere and Boston. She went to the home of her brother at No. 81 Zeigler street, Roxbury, and when it became too late to return to her young husband alone she remained all night.

Fearing that Mrs. Derderian had come to grief or perhaps had been a victim of foul play, Krikor, who is employed as a vamper at James Phelan's shoe factory, rushed into the Lynn police station 10th floor below his lodgings and told them his fears. He knew his bride had friends in Gloucester, Revere and Boston.

Shop Together Hereafter.

And so while the police were looking for some trace of the missing bride she returned home to find her husband heart-broken. Mrs. Derderian got a welcome worth going miles to receive, according to her statement to a Sunday American reporter who saw her. She said:

"I didn't think my husband would ask the police to look for me, because I was not home the same day I went away. I went to Boston Thursday to do some shopping and expected to return home that evening. I went to the home of my brother on Zeigler street, Roxbury, and when I got started for home it was so late they prevailed on me to remain over night. There was no telephone in the house, so my husband lived, and I thought he would know I was in good hands and wouldn't worry. Poor fellow, he was so broken up about it that I promised we would go away together after this.

"It does seem a bit queer, I suppose, to my friends to think I, a bride of but two weeks, should be reported missing to the police. It isn't any joke, either, and had I thought of it more I guess I should have hastened home.

Couldn't Wait Till June.

"Now all of my friends know that I am married. We had kept it a secret pretty well. Not until we had become settled in our Lynn home were we planning to tell all of our friends. Why, my parents don't know I am married. But I am of age, and after all it is my affair. I love my husband. We have been keeping company for about a year now. He wanted me to marry him some time ago, but I asked him to wait till June.

"He seemed to want me in his presence always and I knew he loved me. So when he suggested we get married the day before Patriots' Day, I said yes."

The groom's parents live in Watertown, where his father is a well known merchant. The bride, who is twenty-two years old, is an accomplished pianist. She formerly played in her father's orchestra. Her parents now live in Charlestown.

AGED FARMER SLAIN BY POISON DRAUGHT

New Hampshire Officials Believe Morphine Killed Luther Critchett in Strafford Resort.

Rochester, N. H., May 2.—That morphine or some other deadly poison was put into the liquor which Luther C. Critchett drank, is declared by Deputy Sheriff Elmer Clarke and other Strafford county officials who are investigating the mysterious death of the seventy-two-year-old man at a boarding house conducted by Mrs. Nellie Collin (Burgeron) on Sunday last.

Mrs. Collin, who was arrested after she reported the death of the old man, is still in jail at Dover, having been unable to furnish $2000 bail. She will be granted a hearing before Judge McDuffee on Thursday. It is now declared that after it was discovered that Critchett had expired, some of the persons who were with him on the fatal night visited his home, a short distance from the resort, and took a pint and a half out of Strafford village, and there robbed the house of the valuables in sight.

Robbed of Watch and $200.

When the civil war veteran's body was inspected by the medical referee, there were missing a gold watch and over $200 in cash, besides some valuable papers.

Deputy Clarke to-day examined several people and ran down three different clues which he believes may solve the mystery of Critchett's fate. It is hinted by the selectmen of Strafford that more arrests may be made shortly.

The authorities would like to question Fred Dickerman, whom the hotel keeper says, she noticed in Barrington after she found Critchett was dead. He left home early Tuesday and has not been seen since by his friends.

Believe Details Hidden.

Mrs. Collin, according to the local officers, has offered substantially in her versions of the fatality given the police, and they think she may have feared to tell all she knows of the case, but that she will later reveal the full details of the tragedy.

It is generally believed that the aged man was not robbed of his money watch until he was unconscious. The theory is that the men whom he brought with him to the house made off with the valuables when he was unconscious. He was probably dead the time of the robbery.

If tramps, or other rough characters accompanied him, they probably gave him an overdose of the drug, without intending to kill him.

Acting on the request of Critchett's relatives, the stomach is to be sent to a Boston chemist for analysis, and it is expected to determine conclusively the cause of death.

NEW HAMPSHIRE TO GET SILVER SERVICE IN JULY

Portsmouth, N. H., May 2.—The battleship New Hampshire will come to Portsmouth, N. H., during the month of July to receive her $6,000 silver service, the gift of the State and a stand of colors, to be presented by the New Hampshire Daughters of the American Revolution.

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NEPONSET CITIZENS WANT FIVE-CENT FARE REDUCTION

Ward 24 People Think District Should Have Better Transportation Service.

Neponset residents, aroused over the payment of a single fare of 10 cents to and from Boston on the Old Colony branch of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, intend having their representatives in the city government petition the Railroad Commissioners to compel a reduction of the fare to 5 cents.

Although the road at the present time affords an opportunity to people who live there of riding to and from the city for 5 cents by the purchase of five tickets for 25 cents, outsiders, they allege, are imfringed upon and compelled to pay 5 cents extra. This they declare unjust and are urgent in their request for a reduction.

The locality has developed rapidly in the last few years. It takes in part of Dorchester, and is mostly a residential section. Real estate holders are one drawback in the further developing the place, and that is the fare on the steam road, which is the most convenient mode of travel, the running time being but eighteen minutes.

Complaint is also heard among the people of the district about the poor car service of the Boston Elevated Railroad Company. Near Neponset bridge is the car barn of the company. The running time into the city is about three-quarters of an hour by the way of Dorchester avenue. At the present time there seems to be a scarcity of cars.

Proper service given by the Elevated road and a reduction of fares on the steam line would mean a boom in real estate.

COUNTY CATHOLIC CLUBS MEET HERE

The Middlesex county branch of the Federation of Catholic Societies will hold its annual convention in the conference room of the Cathedral of the Holy Cross this afternoon, beginning at 3.30 o'clock, about 250 delegates will be present. President W. W. Hadley, of Cambridge, will preside. After the opening address reports will be read, amendments to the constitution will be discussed and officers will be elected. The general committee in charge of the plans for the national convention of the society, which meets in Boston during the summer, will report. About forty parishes of Middlesex and many societies have become affiliated with the federation during the past year.

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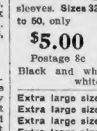

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